

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

(Continued)

(Wednesday, March 29, 1939)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by Speaker Morse.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain, as follows:

"Our Heavenly Father, we are glad this morning that there is a controlling hand and a gracious purpose in Thy use of us. Do Thou lead us, that there may be a meeting of minds and a high purpose of heart within us. As open doors of opportunity stand before us may we have wisdom to act worthily. In Jesus' name. Amen."

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

(By unanimous consent)

Mr. Piner was granted leave of absence for today, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Morris.

Mr. Ragsdale was granted leave of absence for today, on account of illness, on motion of Mr. Voigt.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, March 28, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has granted the request of the House for a Conference Committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on House Bill No. 20.

The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate: Senators Roberts, Redditt, Aikin, Lemens and Sulak.

Adopted

H. C. R. No. 65, Authorizing the Enrolling Clerk of the House to make certain correction to House Bill No. 660.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

ADDITIONAL SIGNER OF HOUSE BILL NO. 15

Mr. Bundy was authorized to sign House Bill No. 15, as co-author of same.

CONSIDERATION OF VETO OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32

Mr. Alsup called up for consideration, at this time, House Concurrent Resolution No. 32, Providing for appointment of a committee to investigate Prison System of Texas.

The resolution having been received from the Governor with his veto of same.

Mr. Alsup moved that the resolution be passed notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

Mr. Davis of Upshur raised a point of order, on further consideration of the motion, by Mr. Alsup, on the ground that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 32 in its present form is a substitute and does not conform with request of the Governor and it is therefore not a privileged matter.

The Speaker overruled the point of order.

Mr. Keith moved the previous question on the motion by Mr. Alsup, and the main question was ordered.

Question—Shall House Concurrent Resolution No. 32 be passed notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?

House Concurrent Resolution No. 32 then failed to pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, by the following vote (not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—77

Allison	Crossley
Alsup	Derden
Baker	Donaghey
of Fort Bend	Faulkner
Bell	Felty
Bond	Fuchs
Boyd	Galbreath
Boyer	Gilmer
Bradford	Gordon, Mrs.
Bray	Hale
Bridgers	Hamilton
Brown	Hardeman
of Nacogdoches	Harp
Bundy	Harper
Burkett	Harrell of Bastrop
Burney	Harris
Cauthorn	Hartzog
Clark	Heflin
Cleveland	Hull
Coleman	Keith
Colquitt	Kern
Cornett	King
Corry	Langdon

Leonard	Shell
Mays	Skiles
McAlister	Smith of Frio
McDonald	Smith of Hopkins
McFarland	Smith
McNamara	of Matagorda
Mohrmann	Stoll
Monkhouse	Talbert
Morris	Thornberry
Petsch	Vint
Pope	Voigt
Reader of Erath	Waggoner
Reaves	Weldon
Rhodes	White
Roach	Wilson
Robinson	Wood
Schuenemann	Wright

Nays—62

Allen	Leyendecker
Anderson	Little
Bailey	Lock
Baker of Grayson	Loggins
Blankenship	London
Bradbury	McDaniel
Broadfoot	McMurry
Brown of Cherokee	Montgomery
Celaya	Newell
Chambers	Nicholson
Cockrell	Oliver
Daniel	Pace
Davis of Jasper	Pevehouse
Davis of Upshur	Reader of Bexar
Dickison	Reed
Dwyer	Riviere
Ferguson	Roberts
Fielden	Russell
Hankamer	Segrist
Hardin	Spencer
Harrell of Lamar	Stinson
Howard	Tarwater
Howington	Taylor
Hunt	Tennant
Isaacks	Thornton
Johnson of Ellis	Turner
Johnson of Tarrant	Vale
Kennedy	Wells
Kerr	Westbrook
Kinard	Winfree
Lehman	Worley

Absent

Colson, Mrs.	Goodman
Dean	Holland
Dickson	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Kersey	Ragsdale

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate
to inform the House the Senate has
concurred in House amendment to
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27,
by a viva voce vote.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO.
16 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House,
as a special order, on its third reading
and final passage,

H. J. R. No. 16, Proposing an
amendment to Section 51b of Article
III of the Constitution of the State
of Texas, giving the Legislature
power by General Laws to provide for
the payment of old age assistance sub-
ject to certain limitations, and fixing
the qualifications of recipients of old
age assistance and fixing the maxi-
mum amount of assistance which may
be granted by the State, and provid-
ing old age assistance shall not be
paid except to persons who are in
need and otherwise qualified to re-
ceive such assistance; defining the
word "need"; providing that old age
assistance shall not be construed as
a vested right in recipients of old
age assistance; providing for author-
ity to accept aid from the Govern-
ment of the United States for old
age assistance; levying and providing
for the collection of a transaction tax
of one and six-tenths (1.6%) per cent
on the amount of actual value passing
by each transaction and providing for
the payment of such tax, and provid-
ing that where the amount of value
which passes by a transaction is fixed
by law, the tax of one and six-tenths
(1.6%) per cent of such value shall
be collected on the last transaction
only; defining the words "value",
"person" and "transaction" as used in
such amendment; and providing what
transactions shall be exempt from said
transaction tax; providing that pro-
duction of natural resources of this
State shall be subject to such trans-
action tax and fixing the date such
tax shall be effective against such
production, and determining the per-
son liable for such tax; providing

that if such transaction tax against production of natural resources fails or cannot be collected, a severance tax of one and six-tenths (1.6%) per cent of the value of such production be and is levied on such production in lieu of said transaction tax; providing for collection of such tax by the Comptroller of Public Accounts and payment thereof to the State Treasurer; providing that such tax funds shall be credited to the Texas Old Age Assistance Fund, and requiring the transfer of certain of such funds to the Confederate Soldiers Pension Fund, Destitute Children Assistance Fund and Teachers' Retirement Fund, and fixing the amount and time of such transfers; providing for the exclusive use which shall be made of such funds, and providing that no other tax shall be levied for the payment of old age assistance, Confederate Soldiers pensions, destitute children assistance and teachers' retirement pensions; providing for payment of part of surplus tax into General Fund of the State; allocating such tax funds in case the same be inadequate to pay assistance as provided in this amendment; prohibiting counties, cities, and other political subdivisions from levying transaction tax; giving the Legislature power by General Laws to provide for administration of the provisions contained herein and for the collection of all taxes herein levied; proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 1-b, to Article VIII, abolishing all State ad valorem taxes from and after January 1, 1941, except as to property situated in counties or political subdivisions receiving a remission of State taxes, and further providing that State revenue received from cigarette tax shall be allocated to Available School Fund, and specifying what use may be made thereof; providing for submission of amendment to qualified electors of the State and fixing the time of such election; providing for the necessary proclamation and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of proclamation, publication and election.

The resolution was read third time.
(Mr. Thornton in the Chair.)

Mr. Kern offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend House Joint Resolution No. 16, page 8, by adding after Section 2,

a new Section to be known as Section 2A to read as follows:

"If any part or parts of this amendment is held to be in conflict with the Social Security laws of the United States so as to preclude Federal participation in the Social Security program herein provided for, then the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized and empowered to enact such general laws as may be necessary to supplement this amendment in order to secure Federal participation in the Social Security program herein provided for."

Mr. McAlister moved to table the amendment.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—65

Allen	Johnson of Tarrant
Anderson	Langdon
Bailey	Little
Blankenship	Mays
Bond	McAlister
Boyer	McDaniel
Bradford	McDonald
Bray	McMurry
Bridgers	McNamara
Broadfoot	Mohrmann
Bundy	Montgomery
Burkett	Morris
Chambers	Newell
Clark	Nicholson
Coleman	Pace
Colson, Mrs.	Pope
Corry	Reader of Bexar
Crossley	Reader of Erath
Daniel	Reaves
Derden	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riviere
Felty	Roach
Gilmer	Skiles
Goodman	Smith of Frio
Gordon, Mrs.	Stoll
Hamilton	Tarwater
Hardeman	Tennant
Hardin	Thornberry
Heflin	Vale
Howington	Waggoner
Hull	Wilson
Isaacks	Wood
Johnson of Ellis	

Nays—68

Allison	Baker of Grayson
Alsup	Bell
Baker	Boyd
of Fort Bend	Bradbury

Brown of Cherokee	Lehman	Dickison	Montgomery
Burney	Leyendecker	Faulkner	Oliver
Cauthorn	Lock	Felty	Petsch
Cleveland	Loggins	Ferguson	Pevehouse
Cockrell	Monkhouse	Fielden	Roberts
Colquitt	Oliver	Galbreath	Robinson
Cornett	Petsch	Hale	Russell
Davis of Jasper	Pevehouse	Hankamer	Schuenemann
Davis of Upshur	Reed	Harp	Segrist
Dickison	Roberts	Harper	Shell
Faulkner	Robinson	Harrell of Lamar	Skiles
Ferguson	Russell	Harris	Smith of Hopkins
Fielden	Schuenemann	Holland	Smith
Galbreath	Segrist	Howard	of Matagorda
Hale	Shell	Hunt	Spencer
Hankamer	Smith of Hopkins	Johnson of Ellis	Stinson
Harp	Smith	Keith	Talbert
Harper	of Matagorda	Kennedy	Taylor
Harrell of Bastrop	Spencer	Kern	Turner
Harrell of Lamar	Stinson	King	Vale
Harris	Talbert	Langdon	Vint
Hartzog	Taylor	Lehman	Voigt
Holland	Thornton	Leonard	Weldon
Howard	Turner	Leyendecker	Wells
Hunt	Vint	Little	Westbrook
Keith	Voigt	Lock	White
Kennedy	Weldon	Loggins	Worley
Kern	Wells	McFarland	Wright
Kerr	Westbrook	Monkhouse	
Kinard	White		
King	Worley		

Absent

Brown	Fuchs
of Nacogdoches	Leonard
Celaya	London
Dean	McFarland
Dickson	Winfree
Dwyer	Wright

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Kersey	Ragsdale

Question then recurring on the amendment, by Mr. Kern, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—75

Allison	Burney
Alsup	Cauthorn
Bailey	Cleveland
Baker	Cockrell
of Fort Bend	Colquitt
Baker of Grayson	Cornett
Bell	Crossley
Boyd	Daniel
Bradbury	Davis of Jasper
Brown of Cherokee	Davis of Upshur

Allen	Kinard
Blankenship	Mays
Bond	McAlister
Boyer	McDaniel
Bradford	McDonald
Bray	McMurry
Bridgers	McNamara
Broadfoot	Mohrmann
Bundy	Morris
Burkett	Newell
Chambers	Nicholson
Clark	Pace
Coleman	Pope
Colson, Mrs.	Reader of Bexar
Corry	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Donaghey	Reed
Gilmer	Rhodes
Gordon, Mrs.	Riviere
Hamilton	Roach
Hardeman	Smith of Frio
Hardin	Stoll
Heflin	Tarwater
Howington	Tennant
Hull	Thornberry
Isaacks	Waggoner
Johnson of Tarrant	Wilson
Kerr	Wood

Nays—56

Present—Not Voting
Goodman

Absent

Anderson	Fuchs
Brown	Harrell of Bastrop
of Nacogdoches	Hartzog
Celaya	London
Dean	Thornton
Dickson	Winfree
Dwyer	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Kersey	Ragsdale

(Speaker in the Chair.)

Mr. Davis of Jasper offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend House Joint Resolution No. 16, page 4, Subsection (i), by inserting at the end of said Section, the following:

"It is hereby specially provided that the taxes levied herein shall cease to be operative from and after August 31, 1943."

DAVIS of Jasper,
SKILES,
CORNETT,
WESTBROOK,
WELDON,
ISAACKS,
LOCK,
SMITH of Matagorda,
COLEMAN,
FERGUSON,
BROWN of Nacogdoches,
BOYD,
DAVIS of Upshur,
TARWATER,
KING,
CHAMBERS,
ROACH,
McNAMARA,
PINER,
HOLLAND,
KERN,
HALE,
HOWINGTON,
FUCHS,
TALBERT,
NEWELL,
HARRELL of Bastrop.

Mr. Leonard offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Davis of Jasper:

Amend committee amendment No. 1 to House Joint Resolution No. 16, by striking out Sections 2, 3 and 4, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

"Section 2. The taxes levied in this amendment shall, if this amendment

receives a majority of the votes of the qualified electors voting at the special election on the first Saturday in June, 1939, hereinafter provided for, become effective September 1, 1939, but this amendment shall in its entirety expire and become null and void and of no further force and effect on December 31, 1943 and Section 51b of Article III of the Constitution as it existed previous to this amendment shall thereafter be in full force and effect, unless this amendment shall again receive a majority of the votes of the qualified electors voting at the general election on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, in the manner hereinafter provided.

"Section 3. Said proposed constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on the first Saturday in June, 1939, and in the event of ratification in 1939, again at the general election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, at each of which elections all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the State Constitution providing a system of old age assistance, levying Social Security taxes for the payment of such old age assistance and providing a source of revenue for the payment of destitute children's assistance and teachers' retirement benefits."

And all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the State Constitution providing a system of old age assistance, levying Social Security taxes for the payment of such old age assistance and providing a source of revenue for the payment of destitute children's assistance and teachers' retirement benefits."

"Section 4. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamations for each of said elections and have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

"The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of this State not otherwise ap-

propriated to pay the expenses of such first publication and election. The Forty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas shall make an appropriation to pay the expenses of such second publication and election."

LEONARD,
FIELDEN,
LEHMAN,
BROADFOOT.

Question — Shall the substitute amendment by Mr. Leonard be adopted?

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has granted the request of the House for a Conference Committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on House Bill No. 802.

The following have been appointed, on the part of the Senate: Senators Kelley, Small, Brownlee, Martin and Head.

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS OF THE HOUSE TO HONOR- ABLE AND MRS. CLINTON KERSEY

Mr. Crossley offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 194, Extending congratulations of the House to Honorable and Mrs. Clinton Kersey.

Whereas, On the 28th day of March, A. D., 1939, the Stork, acting as an agent of Almighty God, for the purpose of adding sunshine and happiness to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Kersey, delivered to them a fine ten pound boy; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the membership of the Forty-sixth Legislature wish to congratulate Mr. Kersey and wish him a speedy recovery, and that we also wish to congratulate Mrs. Kersey on the arrival of her son, and that he be made Mascot of the House and have his picture placed in the picture with the official body; be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the House be directed to send flowers to Mrs. Clinton Kersey.

CROSSLEY,
FAULKNER.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills and resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 65, Authorizing certain correction in House Bill No. 660.

H. C. R. No. 70, Authorizing certain correction in House Bill No. 711.

H. B. No. 660, "An Act providing the salary of County Superintendents of Public Instruction in certain counties, according to the last preceding Federal Census or any subsequent Federal Census, and according to area in square miles of such counties; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict, to the extent of the conflict only, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 711, "An Act to provide a more adequate and equitable salary of County Superintendents of Public Instruction, and providing that said salary may be fixed by the County Board of Education in all of those counties of the State of Texas coming within the brackets and population figures herein named, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 687, "An Act giving civil jurisdiction to the Criminal District Court of Jefferson County of suits and causes in matters of divorce, dependent and delinquent children, adoption and habeas corpus in civil proceedings; providing for the transfer and trial of such causes and the duties of the officers of the Court; providing for the civil procedure therein in accordance with the general civil statutes and Article 2092, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, of 1925, and providing for appeals in civil matters to the Court of Civil Appeals for the Ninth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

S. C. R. No. 27, To suspend Joint Rules of the House and Senate in so far as they apply to Senate Joint Resolution No. 12.

RECESS

On motion of Mr. Anderson, the House, at 12:25 o'clock p. m., took recess until 2:30 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 2:30 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

(By unanimous consent)

Mr. Harrell of Bastrop was granted leave of absence for this afternoon, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Tennant.

Mr. Piner was granted leave of absence for the balance of the day, on motion of Mr. Hale, on account of important business.

OPINION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

The Speaker laid before the House, and had read, the following opinion of the Attorney General in accordance with the provisions of House Simple Resolution No. 185:

Austin, Texas, March 27, 1939.
Mr. E. R. Lindley, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives, Austin, Texas.

Dear Mr. Lindley:

Opinion No. 0-547

Re: Qualification of voters for election to amend Constitution.

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of this date enclosing a copy of House Simple Resolution No. 185, which resolution requests an opinion of this Department upon the question whether only tax payers who have rendered property for taxation, and are otherwise qualified, can vote in the proposed election on the Constitutional amendment provided for in Joint Resolution No. 16 if it is submitted to the people. The resolution requesting the opinion states that under Article 6, Section 3a of the Constitution, there is a very serious question as to who would be entitled to vote, if said Constitutional amendment is submitted to the people, in view of the fact that the proposed amendment provides for certain taxes.

Article 17 of the Constitution provides that amendments to the Constitution may be proposed to be voted upon by the qualified electors for Members of the Legislature.

Article 6, Section 2 of the Constitution provides who are qualified electors with certain requirements and also certain restrictions set out in

Section 1, none of which require the elector to own taxable property.

Article 6, Section 3a of the Constitution mentioned in the resolution is clearly not applicable to a State-wide election, which is necessary to amend the Constitution, but applies only to elections held by counties or subdivisions named in said Section. The only part of said Section which might be construed as including an election by the State as a whole is that part of the Section reading "any number of counties." We do not believe, however, that this provision of the Constitution was intended to include the State as a whole. In the first place, the Constitution recognizes that there are certain provisions of the Constitution and laws which authorize several counties to issue bonds, such as Article 3, Section 52, which authorizes "any number of adjoining counties" to issue bonds for certain purposes. In the next place, we believe that if it had been the intention of this provision of the Constitution to make the phrase "any number of counties" mean the State as a whole, it would have been much easier for the provision to have used the word, "State."

You are, therefore, advised that it is the opinion of this Department that all voters who are qualified under the provisions of Article 6, Sections 1 and 2 of the Constitution, are qualified to vote on the proposed amendment to the Constitution.

Yours very truly,
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS,
By H. GRADY CHANDLER,
Assistant.

Approved:

W. F. MOORE,
First Assistant Attorney General.

CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE
JOINT RESOLUTION
NO. 16

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being House Joint Resolution No. 16, Providing for an amendment to the Constitution in regard to levying certain taxes for the payment of old age assistance, etc.

The resolution having been read third time on this morning, with amendment by Mr. Davis of Jasper to the resolution, and substitute by Mr. Leonard for the amendment by Mr. Davis of Jasper, pending.

(Mr. Thornton in the Chair.)

Mr. Burkett moved the previous question on the amendment, by Mr. Davis of Jasper, the substitute amendment, and the resolution, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the main question, yeas and nays were demanded.

The roll of the House was called and the vote announced, as follows: Yeas, 67; Nays, 70.

A verification of the vote was requested.

Mr. Keith moved a call of the House pending the verification, and the call was duly ordered.

On motion of Mr. Keith, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in all absent Members within the city who are not ill.

The roll of the "yeas" and "nays" was again called and the verified vote resulted, as follows:

Yeas—68

Allison	Hale
Alsup	Hamilton
Bailey	Hankamer
Baker	Harper
of Fort Bend	Harrell of Lamar
Bell	Hartzog
Blankenship	Howington
Bond	Hull
Boyer	Johnson of Tarrant
Bradford	Kennedy
Bray	Kinard
Broadfoot	Lehman
Brown of Cherokee	Leonard
Bundy	Little
Burkett	Mays
Cauthorn	McAlister
Celaya	McDaniel
Chambers	McDonald
Clark	Mohrmann
Cleveland	Newell
Cockrell	Nicholson
Colquitt	Oliver
Colson, Mrs.	Pace
Cornett	Pevehouse
Corry	Rhodes
Crossley	Roach
Daniel	Roberts
Davis of Jasper	Robinson
Dean	Schuenemann
Donaghey	Shell
Felty	Skiles
Fielden	Smith of Hopkins
Gilmer	Taylor
Goodman	Turner
Gordon, Mrs.	

Nays—64

Allen	McFarland
Baker of Grayson	McMurry
Boyd	McNamara
Bradbury	Montgomery
Brown	Morris
of Nacogdoches	Petsch
Burney	Reader of Erath
Coleman	Reaves
Davis of Upshur	Reed
Derden	Riviere
Dickson	Russell
Faulkner	Segrist
Ferguson	Smith of Frio
Fuchs	Smith
Galbreath	of Matagorda
Hardeman	Spencer
Harp	Stinson
Harris	Stoll
Heflin	Talbert
Holland	Tarwater
Howard	Tennant
Hunt	Thornberry
Isaacks	Vint
Johnson of Ellis	Voigt
Keith	Waggoner
Kern	Weldon
Kerr	Wells
King	Westbrook
Langdon	White
Leyendecker	Wilson
Lock	Winfree
Loggins	Wood
London	Wright

Absent

Anderson	Pope
Bridgers	Reader of Bexar
Dickson	Thornton
Dwyer	Vale
Hardin	Worley

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Harrell of Bastrop	Ragsdale
Kersey	

The Chair announced that the motion for the main question prevailed.

Mr. Daniel moved to reconsider the vote by which the main question was ordered.

Mr. Mays moved to table the motion to reconsider the vote.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—53

Allen	Alsup
Allison	Blankenship

Bond	Howard
Boyer	Hull
Bradford	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson of Tarrant
Brown of Cherokee	Kennedy
Bundy	Lehman
Burkett	Leonard
Celaya	Little
Chambers	Mays
Clark	McAlister
Cockrell	McDaniel
Colquitt	Nicholson
Colson, Mrs.	Oliver
Crossley	Pace
Davis of Jasper	Petsch
Dean	Rhodes
Donaghey	Roberts
Felty	Robinson
Fielden	Schuenemann
Gilmer	Shell
Hamilton	Smith of Hopkins
Hankamer	Stoll
Harper	Taylor
Harrell of Lamar	Turner
Hartzog	

Nays—83

Anderson	Isaacks
Bailey	Keith
Baker	Kern
of Fort Bend	Kerr
Baker of Grayson	King
Bell	Langdon
Boyd	Leyendecker
Bradbury	Lock
Bray	Loggins
Bridgers	London
Brown	McDonald
of Nacogdoches	McFarland
Burney	McMurry
Cauthorn	McNamara
Cleveland	Mohrmann
Coleman	Monkhouse
Cornett	Montgomery
Corry	Morris
Daniel	Newell
Davis of Upshur	Pevehouse
Derden	Reader of Erath
Dickison	Reaves
Dwyer	Reed
Faulkner	Riviere
Ferguson	Roach
Fuchs	Russell
Galbreath	Segrist
Goodman	Skiles
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith of Frio
Hale	Smith
Hardeman	of Matagorda
Harp	Spencer
Harris	Stinson
Heflin	Talbert
Holland	Tarwater
Howington	Tennant
Hunt	Thornberry

Vint	White
Voigt	Wilson
Waggoner	Winfree
Weldon	Wood
Wells	Worley
Westbrook	Wright

Absent

Dickson	Reader of Bexar
Hardin	Thornton
Kinard	Vale
Pope	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Harrell of Bastrop	Ragsdale
Kersey	

Question then recurring on the motion to reconsider the vote by which the main question was ordered, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to reconsider prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—86

Allen	Johnson of Ellis
Allison	Keith
Anderson	Kern
Bailey	Kerr
Baker	King
of Fort Bend	Langdon
Baker of Grayson	Lehman
Bell	Leyendecker
Boyd	Lock
Bradbury	Loggins
Bridgers	London
Brown	McDonald
of Nacogdoches	McFarland
Burney	McMurry
Cauthorn	McNamara
Coleman	Mohrmann
Colson, Mrs.	Monkhouse
Daniel	Montgomery
Davis of Jasper	Morris
Davis of Upshur	Oliver
Derden	Petsch
Dwyer	Pevehouse
Faulkner	Reader of Erath
Felty	Reaves
Ferguson	Reed
Fuchs	Rhodes
Galbreath	Riviere
Gordon, Mrs.	Russell
Hale	Segrist
Hardeman	Skiles
Harp	Smith of Frio
Harris	Smith
Heflin	of Matagorda
Holland	Spencer
Howington	Stinson
Hunt	Stoll
Isaacks	Talbert

Tarwater
Tennant
Thornberry
Vint
Voigt
Waggoner
Weldon
Wells

Westbrook
White
Wilson
Winfree
Wood
Worley
Wright

Nays—51

Alsup	Hankamer
Blankenship	Harper
Bond	Harrell of Lamar
Boyer	Hartzog
Bradford	Howard
Bray	Hull
Broadfoot	Johnson of Tarrant
Brown of Cherokee	Kennedy
Bundy	Kinard
Burkett	Leonard
Celaya	Little
Chambers	Mays
Clark	McAlister
Cleveland	McDaniel
Cockrell	Newell
Colquitt	Nicholson
Cornett	Pace
Corry	Roach
Crossley	Roberts
Dean	Robinson
Dickison	Schuenemann
Donaghey	Shell
Fielden	Smith of Hopkins
Gilmer	Taylor
Goodman	Turner
Hamilton	

Absent

Dickson	Reader of Bexar
Hardin	Thornton
Pope	Vale

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Harrell of Bastrop	Ragsdale
Kersey	

Question again recurring on the motion for the main question, on the pending amendments, and the passage of the resolution, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—55

Allison	Bray
Alsup	Broadfoot
Bailey	Brown of Cherokee
Blankenship	Bundy
Bond	Burkett
Boyer	Celaya
Bradford	Clark

Cleveland
Cockrell
Colquitt
Corry
Crossley
Davis of Jasper
Dean
Dickison
Donaghey
Fielden
Gilmer
Goodman
Gordon, Mrs.
Hamilton
Hankamer
Harper
Harrell of Lamar
Hartzog
Hull
Johnson of Tarrant
Kennedy

Kinard
Lehman
Leonard
Mays
McAlister
McDaniel
Newell
Nicholson
Oliver
Pace
Reader of Bexar
Roach
Roberts
Robinson
Schuenemann
Shell
Smith of Hopkins
Talbert
Taylor
Turner

Nays—84

Allen	King
Anderson	Langdon
Baker	Leyendecker
of Fort Bend	Little
Baker of Grayson	Lock
Bell	Loggins
Boyd	London
Bradbury	McDonald
Bridgers	McFarland
Brown	McMurry
of Nacogdoches	McNamara
Burney	Mohrmann
Cauthorn	Monkhouse
Chambers	Montgomery
Coleman	Morris
Colson, Mrs.	Petsch
Cornett	Pevehouse
Daniel	Pope
Davis of Upshur	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Faulkner	Reed
Felty	Rhodes
Ferguson	Riviere
Fuchs	Russell
Galbreath	Segrist
Hale	Skiles
Hardeman	Smith of Frio
Hardin	Smith
Harp	of Matagorda
Harris	Spencer
Heflin	Stinson
Holland	Stoll
Howard	Tarwater
Howington	Tennant
Hunt	Thornberry
Isaacks	Vint
Johnson of Ellis	Voigt
Keith	Waggoner
Kern	Weldon
Kerr	Wells

Westbrook
White
Wilson
Winfree

Wood
Worley
Wright

Absent

Dickson
Dwyer

Thornton
Vale

Absent—Excused

Dowell
Harrell of Bastrop
Kersey

Piner
Ragsdale

REASON FOR VOTE

I voted "nay" on the previous question because I believe in free and unlimited debate on such an important amendment.

SPENCER.

Mr. Burkett moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the substitute amendment, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the main question, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—82

Allison	Hamilton
Alsup	Hankamer
Bell	Harper
Blankenship	Harrell of Lamar
Bond	Hartzog
Boyer	Howard
Bradbury	Hull
Bradford	Johnson of Tarrant
Bray	Kennedy
Broadfoot	Kern
Brown of Cherokee	Kinard
Bundy	Lehman
Burkett	Leonard
Burney	Leyendecker
Celaya	Little
Chambers	Mays
Clark	McAlister
Cleveland	McDaniel
Cockrell	McFarland
Colquitt	McMurry
Cornett	McNamara
Corry	Mohrmann
Crossley	Newell
Davis of Jasper	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
Dickison	Pace
Donaghey	Petsch
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Fielden	Rhodes
Gilmer	Riviere
Goodman	Roach
Gordon, Mrs.	Roberts

Robinson	Tennant
Schuenemann	Turner
Shell	Vint
Smith of Frio	Voigt
Smith of Hopkins	Westbrook
Smith	Wilson
of Matagorda	Winfree
Spencer	Worley
Tarwater	Wright
Taylor	

Nays—55

Allen	Isaacks
Anderson	Johnson of Ellis
Bailey	Keith
Baker	Kerr
of Fort Bend	King
Baker of Grayson	Langdon
Boyd	Lock
Bridgers	Loggins
Brown	London
of Nacogdoches	McDonald
Cauthorn	Monkhouse
Coleman	Montgomery
Colson, Mrs.	Morris
Daniel	Pevehouse
Davis of Upshur	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Faulkner	Reed
Ferguson	Russell
Fuchs	Segrist
Galbreath	Skiles
Hale	Stinson
Hardeman	Stoll
Hardin	Thornberry
Harp	Waggoner
Harris	Weldon
Heflin	Wells
Holland	White
Howington	Wood
Hunt	

Absent

Dickson	Talbert
Dwyer	Thornton
Pope	Vale

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Harrell of Bastrop	Ragsdale
Kersey	

(Speaker in the Chair.)

Question first recurring on the substitute amendment by Mr. Leonard, yeas and nays were demanded.

The substitute amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—77

Allison	Bond
Alsup	Boyer
Bailey	Bradbury

Bradford	Kennedy
Bray	Kern
Broadfoot	Kinard
Brown of Cherokee	Lehman
Bundy	Leonard
Burkett	Little
Celaya	Lock
Chambers	Loggins
Clark	London
Cleveland	McAlister
Cockrell	McDaniel
Colquitt	McFarland
Colson, Mrs.	McMurry
Crossley	McNamara
Daniel	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Nicholson
Davis of Upshur	Oliver
Dean	Pace
Donaghey	Petsch
Faulkner	Riviere
Felty	Roberts
Ferguson	Schuenemann
Fielden	Shell
Fuchs	Smith of Hopkins
Gilmer	Spencer
Goodman	Stinson
Hankamer	Taylor
Hardin	Tennant
Harper	Turner
Harrell of Lamar	Vale
Harris	Voigt
Hartzog	Waggoner
Howard	Weldon
Hull	Westbrook
Johnson of Ellis	Wilson
Johnson of Tarrant	

Nays—60

Allen	Isaacks
Anderson	Keith
Baker	King
of Fort Bend	Langdon
Baker of Grayson	Leyendecker
Bell	Mays
Blankenship	McDonald
Boyd	Mohrmann
Bridgers	Montgomery
Burney	Morris
Cauthorn	Newell
Coleman	Pevehouse
Cornett	Pope
Corry	Reader of Bexar
Derden	Reader of Erath
Dickison	Reaves
Dwyer	Reed
Galbreath	Roach
Gordon, Mrs.	Robinson
Hale	Russell
Hamilton	Segrist
Harp	Skiles
Heflin	Smith of Frio
Holland	Smith
Howington	of Matagorda
Hunt	Stoll

Tarwater	White
Thornberry	Winfree
Thornton	Wood
Vint	Worley
Wells	Wright

Absent

Brown	Kerr
of Nacogdoches	Rhodes
Dickson	Talbert
Hardeman	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Harrell of Bastrop	Ragsdale
Kersey	

Question then recurring on the amendment by Mr. Davis of Jasper, as substituted by amendment by Mr. Leonard, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—76

Allison	Harris
Alsup	Hartzog
Bailey	Holland
Bond	Howard
Boyer	Hull
Bradford	Johnson of Ellis
Bray	Johnson of Tarrant
Broadfoot	Kennedy
Brown of Cherokee	Kern
Brown	Lehman
of Nacogdoches	Leonard
Bundy	Little
Burkett	Lock
Celaya	Loggins
Chambers	London
Clark	McAlister
Cleveland	McDaniel
Cockrell	McFarland
Colquitt	McMurry
Crossley	McNamara
Daniel	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Oliver
Davis of Upshur	Pace
Dean	Petsch
Donaghey	Rhodes
Faulkner	Riviere
Felty	Roberts
Ferguson	Schuenemann
Fielden	Shell
Fuchs	Smith of Hopkins
Gilmer	Spencer
Goodman	Taylor
Hankamer	Tennant
Hardin	Thornton
Harper	Turner
Harrell of Lamar	Vale

Voigt
Waggoner
Weldon

Westbrook
Wilson

Nays—63

Allen	Mays
Anderson	McDonald
Baker	Mohrmann
of Fort Bend	Montgomery
Baker of Grayson	Morris
Bell	Newell
Blankenship	Nicholson
Boyd	Pevehouse
Bradbury	Pope
Bridgers	Reader of Bexar
Burney	Reader of Erath
Cauthorn	Reaves
Coleman	Reed
Cornett	Roach
Corry	Robinson
Derden	Russell
Dickson	Segriss
Dwyer	Skiles
Galbreath	Smith of Frio
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith
Hale	of Matagorda
Hamilton	Stinson
Hardeman	Stoll
Harp	Tarwater
Heflin	Thornberry
Howington	Vint
Hunt	Wells
Isaacks	White
Keith	Winfree
Kinard	Wood
King	Worley
Langdon	Wright
Leyendecker	

Absent

Colson, Mrs.	Kerr
Dickson	Talbert

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Piner
Harrell of Bastrop	Ragsdale
Kersey	

REASON FOR VOTE

Explanatory of my vote upon the amendment to House Joint Resolution No. 16 proposed by Messrs. Davis and Leonard:

"I vote against the Davis and Leonard amendments, for the reason that contrary to hopes of the interested public, that all uncertainty about eligibility for pensions, and the payment thereof be removed, said amendments are designed to definitely prolong said uncertainty."

NICHOLSON.

Question—Shall House Joint Resolution No. 16 be passed?

EXTENDING PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. Allison offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 195, Extending privileges of the floor.

Whereas, Three outstanding citizens from our neighboring country, Mexico, are visiting in the Capitol of our State today as members of the Mexico Relations Committee; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That they be extended the privileges of the floor during their visit and invited to address the House briefly, at a time to be designated by the Speaker.

ALLISON,
RHODES:

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

In accordance with the above action, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee to escort the visitors to the Speaker's stand: Messrs. Allison, Felty and Rhodes.

F. C. Lona, Lucas de Palacio and Joe Rivira were escorted to seats on the Speaker's stand by Messrs. Allison, Felty and Rhodes.

Mr. Morse then presented Mr. Allison, who introduced Lucas de Palacio, President, Mexico Hotel Association, and Manager, Mexico Tourist Association, Mexico, D. F., who addressed the House briefly.

Mr. Felty then presented F. C. Lona, APTM., National Railways of Mexico, Mexico, D. F., who addressed the House.

Mr. Allison then presented Joe Rivera, Manager, American Automobile Association, Mexico, D. F., who addressed the House.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

H. B. No. 407, "An Act to provide for the issuance of certificates of title covering motor vehicles and their parts, with certain specified exceptions, so as to disclose ownership and encumbrances; defining the terms

'motor vehicle', 'lien', 'owner', 'mortgagee', 'mortgagor', 'first sale', 'subsequent sale', 'new car', 'used car', 'person', 'hereafter', 'receipt', 'stolen and converted', 'concealed motor vehicle', 'manufacturer', 'importer', 'distributor', 'dealer', 'motor number', 'serial number', 'manufacturer's certificate', 'importer's certificate', 'certificate of title', 'department', and 'designated agent'; placing the administration and enforcement of the law in the Department of Public Safety, and providing its rights and duties in respect thereto; authorizing the said Department to prescribe necessary forms and to make rules necessary to effectuate the law; prescribing the method and manner of procuring certificates of title, issuance and reissuance of the same and duplicates thereof, and stating conditions and prerequisites therefor; requiring the owners and purchasers of motor vehicles to procure such certificates; requiring the transfer of certificates in all cases of sale, and making sales without transfer of certificate void, etc., and declaring an emergency."

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

Mr. Reader of Erath asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 919.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Reader of Erath:

H. B. No. 919, A bill to be entitled "An Act permitting the taking of fish in public waters and streams in Erath and Hood Counties with certain exceptions; permitting the taking of minnows in certain cases; affixing penalties for violation thereof; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and especially repealing House Bill No. 351, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature, 1939, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Keith asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bills Nos. 920 and 921.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bills before the House, they were read first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Keith:

H. B. No. 920, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 152, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, relating to the examination of insurance companies, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Keith:

H. B. No. 921, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 152, Acts, Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, relating to fees to be charged and collected by the Board of Insurance Commissioners, so that hereafter said Section 1, which is Article 3920, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas shall read as follows, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Petsch asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 922.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Petsch:

H. B. No. 922, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing any county having title to a plot of ground used for public purposes, the area of which is in excess of the needs of the county for its public purposes, to sell such excess or any part thereof at private sale for any consideration deemed valuable in law and approved by its Commissioners' Court to the United States of America under the provisions of its statutes authorizing the acquisition of sites for public buildings; vesting in the Commissioners' Court the power to make such sales and prescribing its procedure in regard thereto and how and by whom conveyance is to be made in carrying out any such sale; validating and legalizing all proceedings and orders heretofore had and made by the Commissioners' Court of any county undertaking to make any such sale to

the United States of America as well as any deed executed and delivered or hereafter executed and delivered, carrying out any such sale, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

Mr. Brown of Nacogdoches asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 923.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Brown of Nacogdoches, Mr. Alsup, Mr. Hull and Mr. Allen:

H. B. No. 923, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7046 of the Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, providing for a poll tax on every person between the ages of twenty-one (21) and sixty (60) years, resident within the State of Texas on the first day of January of each year; making exceptions thereto; fixing the amount of such tax; allocating said tax for certain purposes; providing the amount of poll tax that may be levied by counties; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Privileges, Suffrage and Elections.

Mr. Nicholson asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 924.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Kinard and Mr. Riviere:

H. B. No. 924, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 27, page 37, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature; amending said Section 5 of Chapter 27, with reference to term of office of the Judge of the County Court of Jefferson County at Law; repealing all laws, or parts of laws, in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

Mr. Johnson of Ellis asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 925.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Johnson of Ellis:

H. B. No. 925, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1920 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, by adding thereto a further provision to said Article that before any civil suit can be called for trial at a special term of court written notices shall be given to all parties to such suit, or their attorneys of record, that such cause will be called for trial at such term, and further providing a judgment rendered at a special term of court shall recite such notice was duly given; making such provisions mandatory by the courts, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

RECESS

On motion of Mr. Blankenship, the House, at 4:25 o'clock p. m., took recess until 7:30 o'clock p. m., today.

NIGHT SESSION

The House met at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

(Mr. Leonard in the Chair.)

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

(By unanimous consent)

Mr. Isaacks was granted leave of absence for this evening, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Thornton.

Mr. Keith was granted leave of absence for this evening, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Bell.

BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED

(By unanimous consent)

On motion of Mr. Roberts, Senate Bill No. 338 was ordered not printed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39 ON SECOND
READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading, and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 39, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1986 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, so as to provide for the joinder of more than one plaintiff in one cause of action under the conditions set out in the terms of the Act, and providing for an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Worley offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 39, by adding the word "substantially" immediately before the word "identical," where such word occurs near the close of the last sentence in Section 1 of the bill.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Petsch offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 39, by inserting between "Section 1" and the word "Texas," "That Article 1986, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, be amended to read, as follows:"

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 39 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 40 ON SECOND
READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading, and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 40, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4202 of Chapter 8 of Title 69, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, of the State of Texas, regulating the sales of real estate by guardians."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

RECALLING HOUSE BILL NO. 267
FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Holland offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 76, Recalling House Bill No. 267 from the Senate.

Whereas, House Bill No. 267 has finally passed the House and is now in the Senate; and

Whereas, The barbers of the State allege said bill will work a hardship

on their trade and seriously impair the enforcement of their sanitation laws; and

Whereas, Said bill was not intended to have such effect but was introduced as a matter of legal procedure; and

Whereas, Said bill is now out of committee in the Senate; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That said House Bill No. 267 be returned to the House for the purpose of a more thorough explanation and revision.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 84 ON SECOND
READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act so as to make it unlawful for any person to place, set, drag or use any seine, net or other device for taking fish and shrimp other than the ordinary pole and line, casting rod and reel, artificial bait, trot line, set line or cast net with a spread of not more than nine (9) feet, or a minnow seine of not more than twenty (20) feet in length for catching bait or have in his possession any seine, net or trawl without a permit issued by the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, in or on the waters of Matagorda Bay east of the Colorado River, providing for the use of spear or gig and light for taking flounder in these waters, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing when this Act shall take effect; providing for confiscation of nets, seines and other tackle for evidence and providing for penalties, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Smith of Matagorda offered the following amendment to the bill:

Second paragraph to House Bill No. 84, to be amended so as to read as follows:

"Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on first conviction shall be fined in a sum of not less than Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars nor more than Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00)

Dollars; and on second or more convictions shall be fined in a sum of not less than One Hundred (\$100.00) and not more than Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars, and his fisherman's license or dealer's license shall be automatically cancelled and he shall not be entitled to receive another fisherman's license or dealer's license for one (1) year from the date of his conviction; and provided that the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission of Texas shall have the power and right to seize and hold nets, seines or other tackle in his possession as evidence until after the trial of defendant, and no suit shall be maintained against it therefor."

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 84 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Petsch moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 39 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—127

Allison	Coleman
Alsup	Colquitt
Anderson	Colson, Mrs.
Bailey	Cornett
Baker	Corry
of Fort Bend	Daniel
Baker of Grayson	Davis of Jasper
Bell	Davis of Upshur
Blankenship	Dean
Boyd	Derden
Boyer	Dickison
Bradbury	Donaghey
Bradford	Dwyer
Bray	Felty
Bridgers	Ferguson
Broadfoot	Fielden
Brown of Cherokee	Fuchs
Brown	Gilmer
of Nacogdoches	Gordon, Mrs.
Bundy	Hale
Burkett	Hamilton
Burney	Hankamer
Cauthorn	Hardeman
Celaya	Hardin
Chambers	Harp
Clark	Harper
Cleveland	Harrell of Bastrop
Cockrell	Harrell of Lamar

Harris	Reaves
Heflin	Reed
Holland	Rhodes
Howington	Riviere
Hull	Roach
Hunt	Roberts
Johnson of Ellis	Robinson
Johnson of Tarrant	Russell
Kennedy	Schuenemann
Kern	Segrist
Kerr	Shell
Kinard	Skiles
King	Smith of Frio
Langdon	Smith of Hopkins
Lehman	Smith
Leonard	of Matagorda
Little	Spencer
Lock	Stinson
Loggins	Talbert
London	Tarwater
Mays	Taylor
McAlister	Tennant
McDonald	Thornberry
McFarland	Turner
McMurry	Vale
McNamara	Vint
Mohrmann	Voigt
Monkhouse	Waggoner
Montgomery	Weldon
Morris	Wells
Newell	Westbrook
Nicholson	White
Oliver	Wilson
Pace	Winfree
Petsch	Wood
Pope	Worley
Reader of Erath	Wright

Nays—5

Allen	McDaniel
Bond	Stoll
Galbreath	

Absent

Crossley	Howard
Dickson	Leyendecker
Faulkner	Pevehouse
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Hartzog	Thornton

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 39 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered

amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 39 was then passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 40 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Petsch moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 40 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—125

Allison	Hardin
Alsup	Harp
Anderson	Harper
Bailey	Harrell of Lamar
Baker	Harris
of Fort Bend	Hartzog
Baker of Grayson	Heflin
Bell	Holland
Blankenship	Howard
Boyer	Howington
Bradford	Hull
Bridgers	Hunt
Broadfoot	Johnson of Ellis
Brown of Cherokee	Johnson of Tarrant
Brown	Kennedy
of Nacogdoches	Kern
Bundy	Kerr
Burkett	Kinard
Burney	King
Cauthorn	Langdon
Celaya	Lehman
Chambers	Leyendecker
Clark	Little
Cleveland	Lock
Cockrell	Loggins
Coleman	London
Colquitt	Mays
Colson, Mrs.	McAlister
Cornett	McDaniel
Daniel	McDonald
Davis of Jasper	McFarland
Davis of Upshur	McNamara
Dean	Mohrmann
Derden	Monkhouse
Dickison	Montgomery
Donaghey	Morris
Felty	Newell
Ferguson	Nicholson
Fielden	Oliver
Fuchs	Pace
Gilmer	Petsch
Gordon, Mrs.	Pevehouse
Hale	Reader of Erath
Hamilton	Reaves
Hankamer	Reed
Hardeman	Rhodes

Riviere	Taylor
Roach	Tennant
Roberts	Thornberry
Robinson	Thornton
Russell	Turner
Schuenemann	Vale
Segrist	Vint
Shell	Voigt
Skiles	Waggoner
Smith of Frio	Weldon
Smith of Hopkins	Wells
Smith	Westbrook
of Matagorda	White
Spencer	Wilson
Stinson	Winfree
Stoll	Wood
Talbert	Worley
Tarwater	Wright

Nays—7

Allen	Corry
Bond	Galbreath
Boyd	McMurry
Bray	

Absent

Bradbury	Faulkner
Crossley	Goodman
Dickson	Pope
Dwyer	Reader of Bexar

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 40 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

On motion of Mr. Petsch, and by unanimous consent of the House, the bill was amended so as to include an emergency clause.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 40 was then passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 84 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Smith of Matagorda moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 84 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—133

Allen	Howard
Allison	Howington
Alsup	Hull
Anderson	Hunt
Bailey	Johnson of Ellis
Baker	Johnson of Tarrant
of Fort Bend	Kennedy
Baker of Grayson	Kern
Bell	Kerr
Blankenship	Kinard
Bond	King
Boyd	Langdon
Boyer	Lehman
Bradbury	Leyendecker
Bradford	Little
Bray	Lock
Bridgers	Loggins
Broadfoot	London
Brown of Cherokee	Mays
Brown	McAlister
of Nacogdoches	McDaniel
Bundy	McDonald
Burkett	McFarland
Burney	McMurry
Cauthorn	McNamara
Celaya	Mohrmann
Chambers	Monkhouse
Clark	Montgomery
Cleveland	Morris
Cockrell	Newell
Coleman	Nicholson
Colquitt	Oliver
Colson, Mrs.	Pace
Cornett	Petsch
Corry	Pevehouse
Crossley	Pope
Daniel	Reader of Erath
Davis of Jasper	Reaves
Davis of Upshur	Reed
Dean	Rhodes
Dickison	Riviere
Dickson	Roach
Dwyer	Roberts
Faulkner	Robinson
Ferguson	Russell
Fielden	Schuenemann
Fuchs	Segrist
Galbreath	Shell
Gilmer	Skiles
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith of Frio
Hale	Smith of Hopkins
Hamilton	Smith
Hankamer	of Matagorda
Hardeman	Spencer
Hardin	Stinson
Harp	Stoll
Harper	Talbert
Harrell of Lamar	Tarwater
Harris	Taylor
Holland	Tennant

Thornberry
Thornton
Turner
Vale
Vint
Voigt
Waggoner
Weldon

Wells
Westbrook
White
Wilson
Winfree
Wood
Worley
Wright

Absent

Derden	Hartzog
Donaghey	Heflin
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 84 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 84 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—132

Allen	Cockrell
Allison	Coleman
Alsup	Colquitt
Anderson	Colson, Mrs.
Bailey	Cornett
Baker	Corry
of Fort Bend	Crossley
Baker of Grayson	Daniel
Bell	Davis of Jasper
Blankenship	Davis of Upshur
Bond	Dean
Boyd	Dickison
Boyer	Dickson
Bradbury	Dwyer
Bradford	Faulkner
Bray	Ferguson
Bridgers	Fielden
Broadfoot	Fuchs
Brown of Cherokee	Galbreath
Brown	Gilmer
of Nacogdoches	Gordon, Mrs.
Bundy	Hale
Burkett	Hamilton
Burney	Hankamer
Cauthorn	Hardeman
Celaya	Hardin
Chambers	Harp
Clark	Harper
Cleveland	Harrell of Lamar

Harris	Reed
Holland	Rhodes
Howington	Riviere
Hull	Roach
Hunt	Roberts
Johnson of Ellis	Robinson
Johnson of Tarrant	Russell
Kennedy	Schuenemann
Kern	Segrist
Kerr	Shell
Kinard	Skiles
King	Smith of Frio
Langdon	Smith of Hopkins
Lehman	Smith
Leyendecker	of Matagorda
Little	Spencer
Lock	Stinson
Loggins	Stoll
London	Talbert
Mays	Tarwater
McAlister	Taylor
McDaniel	Tennant
McDonald	Thornberry
McFarland	Thornton
McMurry	Turner
McNamara	Vale
Mohrmann	Vint
Monkhouse	Voigt
Montgomery	Waggoner
Morris	Weldon
Newell	Wells
Nicholson	Westbrook
Oliver	White
Pace	Wilson
Petsch	Winfree
Pevehouse	Wood
Pope	Worley
Reader of Erath	Wright
Reaves	

Absent

Derden	Hartzog
Donaghey	Heflin
Felty	Howard
Goodman	Reader of Bexar

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 787 ON FINAL
PASSAGE

The Chair laid before the House, on its final passage,

H. B. No. 787, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining the term 'Obscene publication'; prohibiting the sale of any obscene publication; providing a penalty for violation, and declaring an emergency."

The bill having heretofore been read third time.

Mr. Celaya offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 787, by striking out after the word picture in line three, Section 1, the following: "photographs or printed material and any book, paper or magazine," and insert in lieu thereof, the following: "obscene photographs or obscene printed material and any book, paper or magazine containing such obscene pictures, photograph or printed material."

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 787 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—133

Allen	Ferguson
Allison	Fielden
Alsup	Fuchs
Anderson	Galbreath
Bailey	Gilmer
Baker	Goodman
of Fort Bend	Gordon, Mrs.
Baker of Grayson	Hale
Bell	Hamilton
Blankenship	Hankamer
Bond	Hardeman
Boyd	Hardin
Boyer	Harp
Bradbury	Harper
Bradford	Harrell of Bastrop
Bray	Harrell of Lamar
Bridgers	Harris
Broadfoot	Hartzog
Brown of Cherokee	Heflin
Bundy	Howington
Burney	Hull
Burney	Hunt
Cauthorn	Johnson of Ellis
Celaya	Johnson of Tarrant
Chambers	Kennedy
Clark	Kern
Cleveland	Kerr
Cockrell	Kinard
Colquitt	King
Colson, Mrs.	Langdon
Cornett	Lehman
Crossley	Leyendecker
Daniel	Little
Davis of Jasper	Lock
Davis of Upshur	Loggins
Dean	London
Derden	Mays
Dickison	McAlister
Dickson	McDaniel
Donaghey	McDonald
Dwyer	McFarland
Faulkner	McMurry
Felty	McNamara

Mohrmann	Smith of Frio
Monkhouse	Smith of Hopkins
Montgomery	Spencer
Morris	Stinson
Newell	Talbert
Nicholson	Tarwater
Oliver	Taylor
Pace	Tennant
Petsch	Thornberry
Pevehouse	Thornton
Reader of Bexar	Turner
Reader of Erath	Vale
Reaves	Vint
Reed	Voigt
Rhodes	Waggoner
Riviere	Weldon
Roach	Wells
Roberts	Westbrook
Robinson	White
Russell	Wilson
Schuenemann	Winfree
Segrist	Wood
Shell	Worley
Skiles	Wright

Present—Not Voting

Corry

Absent

Brown	Pope
of Nacogdoches	Smith
Coleman	of Matagorda
Holland	Stoll
Howard	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO.
38 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading,

H. J. R. No. 38, Proposing an amendment to Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that Members of the Legislature shall receive a salary of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars per annum, shall be subject to call at any time and shall be entitled to mileage at five cents (5c) a mile for each mile traveled coming to and going from the seat of government; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof and prescribing the form of ballot.

The resolution was read second time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—100

Anderson	Kennedy
Baker	Kerr
of Fort Bend	Kinard
Baker of Grayson	King
Bell	Langdon
Blankenship	Leyendecker
Boyer	Little
Bradford	Lock
Bray	Loggins
Bridgers	London
Broadfoot	Mays
Brown of Cherokee	McAlister
Bundy	McDaniel
Burney	McDonald
Cauthorn	McFarland
Celaya	McMurry
Clark	McNamara
Cleveland	Mohrmann
Cockrell	Monkhouse
Coleman	Montgomery
Colquitt	Newell
Colson, Mrs.	Oliver
Cornett	Pace
Corry	Petsch
Daniel	Ragsdale
Davis of Jasper	Reaves
Davis of Upshur	Rhodes
Dean	Riviere
Derden	Roach
Dickison	Robinson
Donaghey	Schuenemann
Dwyer	Segrist
Faulkner	Shell
Felty	Skiles
Ferguson	Smith of Frio
Galbreath	Smith of Hopkins
Gilmer	Talbert
Gordon, Mrs.	Taylor
Hale	Tennant
Hamilton	Thornton
Hankamer	Turner
Hardin	Vale
Harper	Vint
Harrell of Bastrop	Voigt
Harrell of Lamar	Waggoner
Harris	Westbrook
Hartzog	Wilson
Heflin	Winfree
Holland	Wood
Hull	Worley
Johnson of Tarrant	

Nays—34

Allen	Bradbury
Allison	Brown
Bailey	of Nacogdoches
Bond	Burkett
Boyd	Chambers

Crossley
Fielden
Fuchs
Hardeman
Harp
Howington
Hunt
Kern
Lehman
Morris
Nicholson
Pevehouse
Reader of Erath

Absent

Alsup
Dickson
Goodman
Howard
Johnson of Ellis

Absent—Excused

Dowell
Isaacks
Keith

REASON FOR VOTE

My vote shows "yea" due to error in casting vote, and I tried to change same but could not in time to show my vote "nay."

DANIEL.

Mr. Hardin moved to reconsider the vote by which House Joint Resolution No. 38 was passed.

Mr. Celaya moved to table the motion to reconsider.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by following vote:

Yeas—76

Baker	Derden
of Fort Bend	Dickson
Bell	Dickson
Blankenship	Dwyer
Boyer	Felty
Bradford	Ferguson
Bray	Galbreath
Broadfoot	Gordon, Mrs.
Bundy	Hale
Burney	Hamilton
Cauthorn	Hankamer
Celaya	Harper
Cleveland	Harrell of Bastrop
Cockrell	Harris
Colquitt	Hartzog
Cornett	Heflin
Corry	Holland
Davis of Upshur	Hull

Johnson of Ellis	Reader of Erath
Johnson of Tarrant	Rhodes
Kennedy	Roach
Kerr	Robinson
Kinard	Schuenemann
Leyendecker	Segrist
Little	Shell
Lock	Skiles
Loggins	Smith of Frio
Mays	Smith of Hopkins
McAlister	Smith
McDaniel	of Matagorda
McDonald	Talbert
McFarland	Taylor
McMurry	Tennant
McNamara	Thornton
Mohrmann	Vale
Monkhouse	Voigt
Montgomery	Wilson
Petsch	Winfree
Ragsdale	Worley

Nays—55

Allen	Hunt
Allison	Kern
Anderson	King
Bailey	Langdon
Baker of Grayson	Lehman
Bond	London
Boyd	Morris
Bradbury	Newell
Bridgers	Nicholson
Brown of Cherokee	Oliver
Brown	Pevehouse
of Nacogdoches	Reaves
Burkett	Reed
Chambers	Riviere
Clark	Roberts
Colson, Mrs.	Russell
Crossley	Spencer
Daniel	Stinson
Davis of Jasper	Stoll
Donaghey	Tarwater
Fielden	Thornberry
Fuchs	Turner
Gilmer	Vint
Hardeman	Weldon
Hardin	Wells
Harp	Westbrook
Harrell of Lamar	White
Howington	Wood

Absent

Alsup	Pace
Coleman	Pope
Dean	Reader of Bexar
Faulkner	Waggoner
Goodman	Wright
Howard	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	

Mr. Celaya moved to suspend the Rule, relative to the making of motions to reconsider after a motion to table has prevailed, for the purpose of making a motion to reconsider the vote by which House Joint Resolution No. 38 was passed.

The motion to suspend the Rules prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Allen	Kern
Allison	Kerr
Anderson	Kinard
Bailey	King
Baker	Langdon
of Fort Bend	Lehman
Baker of Grayson	London
Bell	Mays
Blankenship	McDaniel
Boyd	McDonald
Bradbury	McFarland
Bradford	McNamara
Brown of Cherokee	Mohrmann
Bundy	Monkhouse
Burkett	Montgomery
Burney	Morris
Cauthorn	Newell
Celaya	Nicholson
Chambers	Oliver
Clark	Pace
Cleveland	Petsch
Coleman	Pevehouse
Colquitt	Pope
Colson, Mrs.	Reader of Erath
Cornett	Reaves
Daniel	Reed
Davis of Jasper	Rhodes
Davis of Upshur	Riviere
Derden	Roberts
Dickison	Robinson
Dwyer	Russell
Felty	Schuenemann
Ferguson	Segrist
Fielden	Shell
Galbreath	Skiles
Gilmer	Smith of Frio
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith of Hopkins
Hale	Smith
Hamilton	of Matagorda
Hankamer	Spencer
Hardin	Stinson
Harp	Stoll
Harper	Tarwater
Harrell of Lamar	Taylor
Harris	Tennant
Hartzog	Thornberry
Heflin	Thornton
Howington	Turner
Hull	Vale
Hunt	Vint
Johnson of Ellis	Voigt
Kennedy	Waggoner

Weldon
Wells
Westbrook
White

Wilson
Winfree
Wood

Nays—20

Bond	Holland
Boyer	Johnson of Tarrant
Bray	Little
Bridgers	Lock
Cockrell	McAlister
Corry	McMurry
Crossley	Ragsdale
Donaghey	Roach
Fuchs	Talbert
Hardeman	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Dickson

Absent

Alsup	Goodman
Broadfoot	Howard
Brown	Leyendecker
of Nacogdoches	Loggins
Dean	Reader of Bexar
Faulkner	Wright

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
Harrell of Bastrop	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner

Mr. Celaya then moved to reconsider the vote by which House Joint Resolution No. 38 was passed.

Question recurring on the motion to reconsider the vote, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to reconsider, prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—100

Allen	Chambers
Allison	Clark
Anderson	Cockrell
Bailey	Coleman
Baker	Colquitt
of Fort Bend	Colson, Mrs.
Baker of Grayson	Cornett
Bell	Corry
Blankenship	Crossley
Bond	Daniel
Boyd	Davis of Jasper
Bradbury	Dickison
Bridgers	Faulkner
Broadfoot	Ferguson
Brown of Cherokee	Fielden
Bundy	Fuchs
Burkett	Galbreath
Burney	Gilmer
Cauthorn	Gordon, Mrs.

Hale	Reader of Erath
Hamilton	Reaves
Hankamer	Reed
Hardin	Riviere
Harp	Roach
Harper	Roberts
Harrell of Lamar	Russell
Heflin	Schuenemann
Howington	Shell
Hunt	Skiles
Johnson of Ellis	Smith of Hopkins
Kennedy	Spencer
Kern	Stinson
Kerr	Stoll
Kinard	Tarwater
King	Taylor
Langdon	Tennant
Lehman	Thornton
Little	Turner
London	Vale
McMurry	Vint
McNamara	Voigt
Mohrmann	Waggoner
Monkhouse	Weldon
Montgomery	Wells
Newell	Westbrook
Nicholson	White
Oliver	Wilson
Pace	Winfree
Petsch	Wood
Pevehouse	Wright
Ragsdale	

Nays—28

Boyer	Holland
Bradford	Hull
Bray	Johnson of Tarrant
Celaya	Lock
Cleveland	Mays
Davis of Upshur	McAlister
Derden	McDonald
Dickson	McFarland
Donaghey	Rhodes
Dwyer	Robinson
Felty	Smith of Frio
Hardeman	Talbert
Harris	Thornberry
Hartzog	Worley

Absent

Alsup	McDaniel
Brown	Morris
of Nacogdoches	Pope
Dean	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	Segrist
Howard	Smith
Leyendecker	of Matagorda
Loggins	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
Harrell of Bastrop	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner

Question—Shall House Joint Resolution No. 38 be passed?

House Joint Resolution No. 38 passed to engrossment by the following vote:

Yeas—69

Baker	Kerr
of Fort Bend	Langdon
Blankenship	Leyendecker
Boyer	Lock
Bradford	Loggins
Bray	Mays
Broadfoot	McAlister
Bundy	McDaniel
Burney	McDonald
Celaya	McFarland
Cleveland	McMurry
Cockrell	McNamara
Colquitt	Mohrmann
Cornett	Monkhouse
Corry	Montgomery
Davis of Upshur	Petsch
Derden	Ragsdale
Dickson	Rhodes
Donaghey	Roach
Dwyer	Robinson
Faulkner	Schuenemann
Felty	Segrist
Ferguson	Shell
Fielden	Smith of Frio
Galbreath	Smith of Hopkins
Hamilton	Smith
Hankamer	of Matagorda
Harper	Talbert
Harris	Taylor
Hartzog	Tennant
Heflin	Thornton
Holland	Vale
Hull	Voigt
Johnson of Ellis	Wilson
Johnson of Tarrant	Worley
Kennedy	

Nays—67

Allen	Colson, Mrs.
Allison	Crossley
Anderson	Daniel
Bailey	Davis of Jasper
Baker of Grayson	Dickson
Bell	Fuchs
Bond	Gilmer
Boyd	Gordon, Mrs.
Bradbury	Hale
Bridgers	Hardeman
Brown of Cherokee	Hardin
Brown	Harp
of Nacogdoches	Howington
Burkett	Hunt
Cauthorn	Kern
Chambers	King
Clark	Lehman
Coleman	Little

London	Spencer
Morris	Stinson
Newell	Stoll
Nicholson	Tarwater
Oliver	Thornberry
Pevehouse	Turner
Reader of Erath	Waggoner
Reaves	Weldon
Reed	Wells
Riviere	Westbrook
Roberts	White
Russell	Wood
Skiles	Wright

Present—Not Voting

Vint

Absent

Alsup	Kinard
Dean	Pace
Goodman	Pope
Harrell of Lamar	Reader of Bexar
Howard	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
Harrell of Bastrop	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner

HOUSE BILL NO. 161 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 161, A bill to be entitled "An Act giving the Commissioners' Courts authority to fix the salary of the County Treasurer, amending Section 13, Article 3912-E, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, reducing the minimum compensation which the County Treasurer is authorized to receive, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hale offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 161, by striking out all below the enacting clause, and substituting in lieu thereof, the following:

"Section 1. That Article 3912e, Section 13, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, be amended by the addition of Subsection (c) to read, as follows:

"(c) The Commissioners' Courts of the respective counties of Texas having a population of more than forty-six thousand, one hundred (46,-

100) and less than forty-six thousand, two hundred (46,200), according to the last preceding Federal Census, are hereby authorized to fix the salary of the County Treasurer of their particular county at any sum not less than Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars per month. In the determination of such salary the Court will consider the fees received by such office during the preceding fiscal year, the expenses of that office during the same period, and the relative duties incumbent on such officer; and shall in their discretion affix to such office such compensation as they deem just and necessary for the services rendered, within the limits hereinbefore provided."

"Section 2. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict; and this Act shall be interpreted as an express modification of Article 3912e, Section 13, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, to the extent hereinbefore provided.

"Section 3. The necessity for the Commissioners' Court to determine their budget requirements for the ensuing fiscal year and the immediate need to economize in expenditures from the Officers' Salary Fund of said counties in order to insure competent conduct of county finances creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring all bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and same Rule is hereby suspended, and this Act is to take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hale offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 161, by striking out all above the enacting clause, and substituting in lieu thereof, the following:

"An Act amending Article 3912e, Section 13, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, to allow the Commissioners' Courts in all counties of more than forty-six thousand, one hundred (46,100) and less than forty-six thousand, two hundred (46,200) population to fix the salary of their County Treasurer at any sum not less than Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, repealing all laws or parts of

laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 161 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 161 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hale moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and that House Bill No. 161 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—131

Allen	Dwyer
Allison	Faulkner
Alsup	Felty
Anderson	Ferguson
Bailey	Fuchs
Baker	Galbreath
of Fort Bend	Gilmer
Baker of Grayson	Gordon, Mrs.
Bell	Hale
Blankenship	Hamilton
Bond	Hankamer
Boyd	Hardeman
Boyer	Hardin
Bradbury	Harp
Bradford	Harper
Bray	Harrell of Bastrop
Bridgers	Harrell of Lamar
Broadfoot	Harris
Brown of Cherokee	Hartzog
Bundy	Holland
Burkett	Howington
Burney	Hunt
Cauthorn	Johnson of Ellis
Chambers	Johnson of Tarrant
Clark	Kennedy
Cleveland	Kern
Cockrell	Kerr
Coleman	Kinard
Colquitt	King
Colson, Mrs.	Langdon
Cornett	Lehman
Corry	Leyendecker
Crossley	Little
Daniel	Lock
Davis of Jasper	Loggins
Davis of Upshur	Mays
Dean	McAlister
Derden	McDaniel
Dickison	McDonald
Dickson	McFarland
Donaghey	McMurry

McNamara	Smith
Mohrmann	of Matagorda
Monkhouse	Spencer
Montgomery	Stinson
Morris	Stoll
Newell	Talbert
Nicholson	Tarwater
Oliver	Taylor
Pace	Tennant
Petsch	Thornberry
Pevehouse	Thornton
Reader of Erath	Turner
Reaves	Vale
Reed	Vint
Rhodes	Voigt
Riviere	Waggoner
Roach	Weldon
Roberts	Wells
Robinson	Westbrook
Russell	White
Schuenemann	Wilson
Segrist	Winfree
Shell	Wood
Skiles	Worley
Smith of Frio	Wright
Smith of Hopkins	

Absent

Brown	Howard
of Nacogdoches	Hull
Celaya	London
Fielden	Pope
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Heflin	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 161 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—132

Allen	Bray
Allison	Bridgers
Alsup	Broadfoot
Anderson	Brown of Cherokee
Bailey	Bundy
Baker	Burkett
of Fort Bend	Burney
Baker of Grayson	Cauthorn
Bell	Chambers
Blankenship	Clark
Bond	Cleveland
Boyd	Cockrell
Boyer	Coleman
Bradbury	Colquitt
Bradford	Colson, Mrs.

Cornett	McMurry
Corry	McNamara
Crossley	Mohrmann
Daniel	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Montgomery
Davis of Upshur	Morris
Dean	Newell
Derden	Nicholson
Dickison	Oliver
Dickson	Pace
Donaghey	Petsch
Dwyer	Pevehouse
Faulkner	Reader of Erath
Felty	Reaves
Ferguson	Reed
Fuchs	Rhodes
Galbreath	Riviere
Gilmer	Roach
Gordon, Mrs.	Roberts
Hale	Robinson
Hamilton	Russell
Hankamer	Schuenemann
Hardeman	Segrist
Hardin	Shell
Harp	Skiles
Harper	Smith of Frio
Harrell of Bastrop	Smith of Hopkins
Harrell of Lamar	Smith
Harris	of Matagorda
Hartzog	Spencer
Holland	Stinson
Howard	Stoll
Howington	Talbert
Hunt	Tarwater
Johnson of Ellis	Taylor
Johnson of Tarrant	Tennant
Kennedy	Thornberry
Kern	Thornton
Kerr	Turner
Kinard	Vale
King	Vint
Langdon	Voigt
Lehman	Waggoner
Leyendecker	Weldon
Little	Wells
Lock	Westbrook
Loggins	White
Mays	Wilson
McAlister	Winfree
McDaniel	Wood
McDonald	Worley
McFarland	Wright
Absent	
Brown	Heflin
of Nacogdoches	Hull
Celaya	London
Fielden	Pope
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Absent—Excused	
Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 211 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 211, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Section I of House Bill Number 993, enacted by the Forty-fifth Legislature, relating to the trial of insane persons charged with crime and providing for the commitment of such persons to a State Hospital for the Insane, if found to be sane at the time of the commission of the offense but insane at the time of the trial of such person, and for the trial of persons charged with crime who were sane at the time of the commission of the crime but insane upon the trial of their case; and enacting in lieu of said provisions relating to the trial of insane persons charged with crime as provided in Section I of said Act of the Forty-fifth Legislature, a provision providing that in any case where present insanity of the defendant is interposed as a defense, and that issue is tried before the main charge, and the jury shall find the defendant insane, the court shall thereupon make and have entered on the minutes of the court an order committing the defendant to the custody of the Sheriff to be kept subject to the further order of the County Judge of the County, and the proceedings shall forthwith be certified to the County Judge who shall at once take the necessary steps to have the defendant committed to and confined in a State Hospital for the Insane until he becomes sane, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Bridgers offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 211, by adding at the end:

"Sec. 2. The fact that the present law upon the subject of trials for insanity in criminal cases and before trial of the main issue in such cases is indefinite and confusing creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be, and it is, hereby suspended, and this Act

shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is enacted."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hartzog offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 211, by inserting on page 1, on line 40, between the comma (,) and the word "to" the following: "to be fingerprinted and".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 211 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 211 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Bridgers moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 211 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—130

Allen	Colquitt
Allison	Colson, Mrs.
Alsup	Cornett
Anderson	Corry
Bailey	Crossley
Baker	Daniel
of Fort Bend	Davis of Jasper
Baker of Grayson	Davis of Upshur
Bell	Derden
Blankenship	Dickison
Bond	Dickson
Boyd	Donaghey
Boyer	Dwyer
Bradbury	Faulkner
Bradford	Ferguson
Bray	Fielden
Bridgers	Fuchs
Broadfoot	Galbreath
Brown of Cherokee	Gilmer
Brown	Gordon, Mrs.
of Nacogdoches	Hale
Bundy	Hamilton
Burkett	Hankamer
Burney	Hardeman
Cauthorn	Hardin
Celaya	Harp
Chambers	Harper
Clark	Harrell of Bastrop
Cleveland	Harrell of Lamar
Cockrell	Harris
Coleman	Hartzog

Holland	Rhodes
Howard	Riviere
Howington	Roach
Hunt	Roberts
Johnson of Ellis	Robinson
Johnson of Tarrant	Russell
Kennedy	Schuenemann
Kern	Segrist
Kerr	Shell
Kinard	Skiles
King	Smith of Frio
Langdon	Smith of Hopkins
Lehman	Smith
Leyendecker	of Matagorda
Little	Spencer
Lock	Stoll
Loggins	Talbert
London	Tarwater
Mays	Taylor
McAlister	Tennant
McDaniel	Thornberry
McDonald	Thornton
McMurry	Turner
McNamara	Vale
Mohrmann	Vint
Monkhouse	Voigt
Montgomery	Waggoner
Newell	Weldon
Nicholson	Wells
Oliver	White
Pace	Wilson
Petsch	Winfree
Pevehouse	Wood
Reader of Erath	Worley
Reaves	Wright
Reed	

Absent

Dean	Morris
Felty	Pope
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Heflin	Stinson
Hull	Westbrook
McFarland	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 211 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—130

Allen	Baker of Grayson
Allison	Bell
Alsup	Blankenship
Anderson	Bond
Bailey	Boyd
Baker	Boyer
of Fort Bend	Bradbury

Bradford	Lehman
Bray	Leyendecker
Bridgers	Little
Broadfoot	Lock
Brown of Cherokee	Loggins
Brown	London
of Nacogdoches	Mays
Bundy	McAlister
Burkett	McDaniel
Burney	McDonald
Cauthorn	McMurry
Celaya	McNamara
Chambers	Mohrmann
Clark	Monkhouse
Cleveland	Montgomery
Cockrell	Newell
Coleman	Nicholson
Colquitt	Oliver
Colson, Mrs.	Pace
Cornett	Petsch
Corry	Pevehouse
Crossley	Reader of Erath
Daniel	Reaves
Davis of Jasper	Reed
Davis of Upshur	Rhodes
Derden	Riviere
Dickison	Roach
Dickson	Roberts
Donaghey	Robinson
Dwyer	Russell
Faulkner	Schuenemann
Ferguson	Segrist
Fielden	Shell
Fuchs	Skiles
Galbreath	Smith of Frio
Gilmer	Smith of Hopkins
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith
Hale	of Matagorda
Hamilton	Spencer
Hankamer	Stoll
Hardeman	Talbert
Hardin	Tarwater
Harp	Taylor
Harper	Tennant
Harrell of Bastrop	Thornberry
Harrell of Lamar	Thornton
Harris	Turner
Hartzog	Vale
Holland	Vint
Howard	Voigt
Howington	Waggoner
Hunt	Weldon
Johnson of Ellis	Wells
Johnson of Tarrant	White
Kennedy	Wilson
Kern	Winfree
Kerr	Wood
Kinard	Worley
King	Wright
Langdon	

Absent

Dean	Goodman
Felty	Heflin

Hull	Reader of Bexar
McFarland	Stinson
Morris	Westbrook
Pope	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 640 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 640, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that the Supreme Court may grant certain attorneys who have practiced law in a State of the United States for a period of 20 years and hold a license to practice law before the Supreme Court of the United States may be granted a license to practice in the State without taking the bar examinations, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hull offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 640, by adding a new Section to read, as follows:

"Section 1A. Any citizen of the State of Texas having served 12 consecutive years as a Member of the Texas House of Representatives, and having served as Speaker of the House of Representatives for at least one term, shall be issued a license to practice law in this State. If any of the provisions of this Act are found to be in conflict with any previously enacted statute, this Act shall be regarded as merely cumulative and not repealing the former Act in whole or in part."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes, and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 640 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 640 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hull moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 640 be placed on its third reading, and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—123

Allison	Hunt
Alsup	Johnson of Ellis
Anderson	Johnson of Tarrant
Bailey	Kennedy
Baker	Kern
of Fort Bend	Kerr
Baker of Grayson	Kinard
Bell	King
Blankenship	Langdon
Bond	Lehman
Boyer	Leyendecker
Bradbury	Little
Bradford	Lock
Bray	Loggins
Bridgers	London
Brown of Cherokee	Mays
Brown	McAlister
of Nacogdoches	McDaniel
Bundy	McDonald
Burkett	McMurry
Burney	McNamara
Cauthorn	Mohrmann
Celaya	Monkhouse
Chambers	Montgomery
Clark	Newell
Cleveland	Nicholson
Cockrell	Pace
Coleman	Petsch
Colquitt	Pevehouse
Colson, Mrs.	Pope
Cornett	Reader of Erath
Corry	Reaves
Crossley	Reed
Daniel	Rhodes
Davis of Jasper	Riviere
Dean	Roach
Derden	Roberts
Dickison	Robinson
Dickson	Russell
Donaghey	Schuenemann
Dwyer	Segrist
Faulkner	Skiles
Ferguson	Smith of Frio
Fielden	Smith of Hopkins
Fuchs	Smith
Galbreath	of Matagorda
Gilmer	Spencer
Gordon, Mrs.	Stoll
Hale	Talbert
Hamilton	Tarwater
Hankamer	Taylor
Hardin	Tennant
Harp	Thornton
Harper	Turner
Harrell of Lamar	Vale
Harris	Vint
Hartzog	Voigt
Heflin	Waggoner
Holland	Weldon
Howington	Wells

Westbrook
Wilson
Winfree

Wood
Worley
Wright

Nays—6

Boyd	Morris
Davis of Upshur	Thornberry
Hardeman	White

Absent

Allen	McFarland
Broadfoot	Oliver
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	Shell
Howard	Stinson
Hull	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 640 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—123

Allison	Crossley
Alsup	Daniel
Anderson	Davis of Jasper
Bailey	Dean
Baker	Derden
of Fort Bend	Dickison
Baker of Grayson	Dickson
Bell	Donaghey
Blankenship	Dwyer
Bond	Faulkner
Boyer	Ferguson
Bradbury	Fielden
Bradford	Fuchs
Bray	Galbreath
Bridgers	Gilmer
Brown of Cherokee	Gordon, Mrs.
Brown	Hale
of Nacogdoches	Hamilton
Bundy	Hankamer
Burkett	Hardin
Burney	Harp
Cauthorn	Harper
Celaya	Harrell of Lamar
Chambers	Harris
Clark	Hartzog
Cleveland	Heflin
Cockrell	Holland
Coleman	Howington
Colquitt	Hunt
Colson, Mrs.	Johnson of Ellis
Cornett	Johnson of Tarrant
Corry	Kennedy

Kern	Roach
Kerr	Roberts
Kinard	Robinson
King	Russell
Langdon	Schuenemann
Lehman	Segrist
Leyendecker	Skiles
Little	Smith of Frio
Lock	Smith of Hopkins
Loggins	Smith
London	of Matagorda
Mays	Spencer
McAlister	Stoll
McDaniel	Talbert
McDonald	Tarwater
McMurry	Taylor
McNamara	Tennant
Mohrmann	Thornton
Monkhouse	Turner
Montgomery	Vale
Newell	Vint
Nicholson	Voigt
Pace	Waggoner
Petsch	Weldon
Pevehouse	Wells
Pope	Westbrook
Reader of Erath	Wilson
Reaves	Winfree
Reed	Wood
Rhodes	Worley
Riviere	Wright

Nays—6

Boyd	Morris
Davis of Upshur	Thornberry
Hardeman	White

Absent

Allen	McFarland
Broadfoot	Oliver
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	Shell
Howard	Stinson
Hull	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 224 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 224, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 6 of Article 911b, Title 25 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended, by adding a new section to Section 6 to be known as Section

6 (f), by providing for the sale and transfer of contract carrier permits issued under the provisions of this section of the Act by providing the method and manner of transferring said contract carrier permit, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 224 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Loggins moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 224 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Allen	Fielden
Allison	Fuchs
Alsup	Galbreath
Anderson	Goodman
Bailey	Gordon, Mrs.
Baker	Hale
of Fort Bend	Hamilton
Baker of Grayson	Hankamer
Bell	Hardeman
Blankenship	Hardin
Bond	Harp
Boyd	Harper
Boyer	Harrell of Bastrop
Bradbury	Harrell of Lamar
Bradford	Harris
Bray	Hartzog
Broadfoot	Heflin
Brown of Cherokee	Holland
Brown	Howington
of Nacogdoches	Hunt
Bundy	Johnson of Ellis
Burkett	Johnson of Tarrant
Cauthorn	Kennedy
Chambers	Kern
Clark	Kerr
Cleveland	Kinard
Coleman	King
Colquitt	Lehman
Colson, Mrs.	Leyendecker
Cornett	Little
Corry	Lock
Crossley	Loggins
Daniel	London
Davis of Jasper	Mays
Davis of Upshur	McAlister
Dean	McDaniel
Derden	McDonald
Dickison	McFarland
Dickson	McMurry
Faulkner	McNamara
Ferguson	Mohrmann

Monkhouse	Smith of Frio
Montgomery	Smith of Hopkins
Newell	Spencer
Nicholson	Stoll
Pace	Talbert
Petsch	Tarwater
Pevehouse	Taylor
Pope	Tennant
Reader of Erath	Thornberry
Reaves	Thornton
Reed	Turner
Rhodes	Vale
Riviere	Voigt
Roach	Weldon
Roberts	Wells
Robinson	Westbrook
Russell	White
Schuenemann	Wilson
Segrist	Wood
Shell	Worley
Skiles	Wright

Nays—2

Langdon	Waggoner
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Absent

Bridgers	Hull
Burney	Morris
Celaya	Oliver
Cockrell	Reader of Bexar
Donaghey	Smith
Dwyer	of Matagorda
Felty	Stinson
Goodman	Vint
Howard	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 224 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Allen	Bradford
Allison	Bray
Alsup	Broadfoot
Anderson	Brown of Cherokee
Bailey	Brown
Baker	of Nacogdoches
of Fort Bend	Bundy
Baker of Grayson	Burkett
Bell	Cauthorn
Blankenship	Chambers
Bond	Clark
Boyd	Cleveland
Boyer	Coleman
Bradbury	Colquitt

Colson, Mrs.	McDaniel
Cornett	McDonald
Corry	McFarland
Crossley	McMurry
Daniel	McNamara
Davis of Jasper	Mohrmann
Davis of Upshur	Monkhouse
Dean	Montgomery
Derden	Newell
Dickison	Nicholson
Dickson	Pace
Faulkner	Petsch
Ferguson	Pevehouse
Fielden	Pope
Fuchs	Reader of Erath
Galbreath	Reaves
Gilmer	Reed
Gordon, Mrs.	Rhodes
Hale	Riviere
Hamilton	Roach
Hankamer	Roberts
Hardeman	Robinson
Hardin	Russell
Harp	Schuenemann
Harper	Segrist
Harrell of Bastrop	Shell
Harrell of Lamar	Skiles
Harris	Smith of Frio
Hartzog	Smith of Hopkins
Heflin	Spencer
Holland	Stoll
Howington	Talbert
Hunt	Tarwater
Johnson of Ellis	Taylor
Johnson of Tarrant	Tennant
Kennedy	Thornberry
Kern	Thornton
Kerr	Turner
Kinard	Vale
King	Voigt
Lehman	Weldon
Leyendecker	Wells
Little	Westbrook
Lock	White
Loggins	Wilson
London	Wood
Mays	Worley
McAlister	Wright

Nays—2

Langdon	Waggoner
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Absent

Bridgers	Hull
Burney	Morris
Celaya	Oliver
Cockrell	Reader of Bexar
Donaghey	Smith
Dwyer	of Matagorda
Felty	Stinson
Gilmer	Vint
Howard	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 240 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 240, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the maximum rate of tax to be levied for school purposes in all independent school districts which include within their limits a city or town which according to the latest Federal Census had a population of not fewer than six thousand, seven hundred fifty (6,750) and not more than six thousand, eight hundred fifty (6,850) inhabitants, whether organized under General or Special Laws; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, both General and Special, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 240 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Vale moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 240 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Allen	Celaya
Allison	Chambers
Alsup	Clark
Anderson	Cleveland
Baker	Cockrell
of Fort Bend	Coleman
Baker of Grayson	Colson, Mrs.
Bell	Cornett
Blankenship	Corry
Bond	Crossley
Boyd	Daniel
Boyer	Davis of Jasper
Bradbury	Davis of Upshur
Bradford	Derden
Bray	Dickison
Bridgers	Dickson
Broadfoot	Donaghey
Brown of Cherokee	Faulkner
Bundy	Ferguson
Burkett	Fielden
Burney	Fuchs
Cauthorn	Galbreath

Gilmer	Nicholson
Gordon, Mrs.	Oliver
Hale	Pace
Hamilton	Petsch
Hankamer	Pevehouse
Hardeman	Pope
Hardin	Reaves
Harp	Reed
Harper	Rhodes
Harrell of Bastrop	Riviere
Harrell of Lamar	Roach
Harris	Roberts
Hartzog	Robinson
Heflin	Russell
Holland	Schuenemann
Howington	Segrist
Hunt	Shell
Johnson of Ellis	Skiles
Johnson of Tarrant	Smith of Frio
Kennedy	Smith of Hopkins
Kern	Smith
Kerr	of Matagorda
Kinard	Spencer
King	Stoll
Langdon	Talbert
Lehman	Tarwater
Leyendecker	Taylor
Little	Tennant
Lock	Thornberry
London	Thornton
Mays	Turner
McAlister	Vale
McDaniel	Vint
McDonald	Waggoner
McFarland	Weldon
McMurry	Wells
McNamara	White
Mohrmann	Wilson
Monkhouse	Wood
Montgomery	Worley
Newell	Wright

Nays—1

Bailey

Absent

Brown	Loggins
of Nacogdoches	Morris
Colquitt	Reader of Bexar
Dean	Reader of Erath
Dwyer	Stinson
Felty	Voigt
Goodman	Westbrook
Howard	Winfree
Hull	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 240 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Allen	Howington
Allison	Hunt
Alsup	Johnson of Ellis
Anderson	Johnson of Tarrant
Baker	Kennedy
of Fort Bend	Kern
Baker of Grayson	Kerr
Bell	Kinard
Blankenship	King
Bond	Langdon
Boyd	Lehman
Boyer	Leyendecker
Bradbury	Little
Bradford	Lock
Bray	London
Bridgers	Mays
Broadfoot	McAlister
Brown of Cherokee	McDaniel
Bundy	McDonald
Burkett	McFarland
Burney	McMurry
Cauthorn	McNamara
Celaya	Mohrmann
Chambers	Monkhouse
Clark	Montgomery
Cleveland	Newell
Cockrell	Nicholson
Coleman	Oliver
Colson, Mrs.	Pace
Cornett	Petsch
Corry	Pevehouse
Crossley	Pope
Daniel	Reaves
Davis of Jasper	Reed
Davis of Upshur	Rhodes
Derden	Riviere
Dickison	Roach
Dickson	Roberts
Donaghey	Robinson
Faulkner	Russell
Ferguson	Schuenemann
Fielden	Segrist
Fuchs	Shell
Galbreath	Skiles
Gilmer	Smith of Frio
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith of Hopkins
Hale	Smith
Hamilton	of Matagorda
Hankamer	Spencer
Hardeman	Stoll
Hardin	Talbert
Harp	Tarwater
Harper	Taylor
Harrell of Bastrop	Tennant
Harrell of Lamar	Thornberry
Harris	Thornton
Hartzog	Turner
Heflin	Vale
Holland	Vint

Waggoner
Weldon
Wells
White

Wilson
Wood
Worley
Wright

Nays—1

Bailey

Absent

Brown	Loggins
of Nacogdoches	Morris
Colquitt	Reader of Bexar
Dean	Reader of Erath
Dwyer	Stinson
Felty	Voigt
Goodman	Westbrook
Howard	Winfree
Hull	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 273 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 273, A bill to be entitled "An Act making theft of peanuts, peanut hay, or peanut meal a felony; prescribing penalties therefor, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Howington offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 273, by striking out the words "peanut meal," wherever they appear in the body of the bill.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 273 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 273 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Howington moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 273 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—112

Allen

Allison

Alsup	Kinard
Baker	King
of Fort Bend	Langdon
Baker of Grayson	Lehman
Bell	Leyendecker
Blankenship	Lock
Bond	Loggins
Boyd	Mays
Boyer	McDaniel
Bradbury	McDonald
Bray	McFarland
Bridgers	McMurry
Brown of Cherokee	McNamara
Brown	Mohrmann
of Nacogdoches	Monkhouse
Bundy	Montgomery
Burkett	Newell
Burney	Nicholson
Cauthorn	Oliver
Celaya	Petsch
Chambers	Pevehouse
Clark	Pope
Cleveland	Reader of Erath
Colquitt	Reaves
Cornett	Reed
Corry	Rhodes
Crossley	Riviere
Daniel	Roach
Davis of Jasper	Roberts
Davis of Upshur	Robinson
Dean	Russell
Derden	Schuenemann
Dickison	Segrist
Dickson	Skiles
Faulkner	Smith of Frio
Ferguson	Smith of Hopkins
Fielden	Smith
Fuchs	of Matagorda
Gilmer	Spencer
Gordon, Mrs.	Stoll
Hale	Talbert
Hamilton	Tarwater
Hardeman	Taylor
Harp	Tennant
Harper	Thornberry
Harrell of Lamar	Thornton
Hartzog	Turner
Heflin	Vale
Howard	Vint
Howington	Voigt
Hull	Waggoner
Hunt	Weldon
Johnson of Ellis	Wells
Johnson of Tarrant	White
Kennedy	Wilson
Kern	Worley
Kerr	

Nays—9

Bailey	Harris
Bradford	London
Colson, Mrs.	McAlister
Donaghey	Wood
Hankamer	

Absent

Anderson	Little
Broadfoot	Morris
Cockrell	Pace
Coleman	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	Shell
Felty	Stinson
Galbreath	Westbrook
Goodman	Winfree
Hardin	Wright
Howard	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 273 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—112

Allen	Fielden
Allison	Fuchs
Alsup	Gilmer
Baker	Gordon, Mrs.
of Fort Bend	Hale
Baker of Grayson	Hamilton
Brown of Cherokee	Hardeman
Bell	Harp
Blankenship	Harper
Bond	Harrell of Lamar
Boyd	Hartzog
Boyer	Heflin
Bradbury	Holland
Bray	Howington
Bridgers	Hull
Brown	Hunt
of Nacogdoches	Johnson of Ellis
Bundy	Johnson of Tarrant
Burkett	Kennedy
Burney	Kern
Cauthorn	Kerr
Celaya	Kinard
Chambers	King
Clark	Langdon
Cleveland	Lehman
Colquitt	Leyendecker
Cornett	Lock
Corry	Loggins
Crossley	Mays
Daniel	McDaniel
Davis of Jasper	McDonald
Davis of Upshur	McFarland
Dean	McMurry
Derden	McNamara
Dickison	Mohrmann
Dickson	Monkhouse
Faulkner	Montgomery
Ferguson	Newell

Nicholson	Smith
Oliver	of Matagorda
Petsch	Spencer
Pevehouse	Stoll
Pope	Talbert
Reader of Erath	Tarwater
Reaves	Taylor
Reed	Tennant
Rhodes	Thornberry
Riviere	Thornton
Roach	Turner
Roberts	Vale
Robinson	Vint
Russell	Voigt
Schuenemann	Waggoner
Segrist	Weldon
Skiles	Wells
Smith of Frio	White
Smith of Hopkins	Wilson
	Worley

Nays—9

Bailey	Harris
Bradford	London
Colson, Mrs.	McAlister
Donaghey	Wood
Hankamer	

Absent

Anderson	Little
Broadfoot	Morris
Cockrell	Pace
Coleman	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	Shell
Felty	Stinson
Galbreath	Westbrook
Goodman	Winfree
Hardin	Wright
Holland	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 379 ON FINAL
PASSAGE

Mr. Boyd moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 379 was finally passed.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

The Chair then laid H. B. No. 379 before the House.

Question—Shall H. B. No. 379 be passed?

Mr. Boyd offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 379, by striking out all below the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

“Section 1. That Section 1, House Bill No. 1002, Chapter 363 of the

Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, 1937, be, and it is hereby amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

“Section 1. The salaries and compensation of each of the County Commissioners in counties with a population of not less than seventy-seven thousand, six hundred (77,600) inhabitants, nor more than one hundred and thirty-one thousand (131,000) inhabitants, according to the last Federal Census, as same now exists or may hereafter exist, and having an assessed valuation of not less than Forty-five Million and One (\$45,000,001) Dollars nor more than Sixty-three Million, Five Hundred Thousand (\$63,500,000), Dollars, according to the last approved tax rolls, as same now exists or may hereafter exist, shall be Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250) Dollars.”

“Section 2. Amend Section 4 of Chapter 362, General Laws, Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Chapter 195, General and Special Laws, Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, to read hereafter as follows:

“Sec. 4. That all laws, both General and Special, or parts of laws both General and Special, in conflict with the foregoing Act, be, and the same are hereby expressly repealed; provided, however, that in all counties having a population of not less than fourteen thousand, five hundred fifty (14,550) nor more than fourteen thousand, eight hundred (14,800), according to the last available Federal Census, as same now exists or may hereafter exist, each Precinct Commissioner shall be entitled to receive a salary not in excess of Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments, and provided that in all counties having a population of not less than ninety-eight thousand (98,000), and not more than one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000), according to the last available Federal Census and each available Census thereafter, and a valuation of over Sixty Million (\$60,000,000) Dollars according to the last approved tax roll for county purposes, each Precinct Commissioner shall be entitled to receive a salary not in excess of Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments.”

"Sec. 3. If any Section, clause, sentence, or other part of this Act shall for any reason be declared unconstitutional that shall not affect in any way the constitutionality of the remaining provisions hereof.

"Sec. 4. That all laws in conflict therewith are hereby repealed.

"Sec. 5. The fact that the 1940 Federal Census will be available before another Regular Session of the Legislature hereby creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring that bills be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage, and it is so enacted."

Amend House Bill No. 379, by striking out all above the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

"A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act amending Section 1 of House Bill No. 1002, Chapter 363, of the General and Special Laws of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, 1937, and Section 4 of Chapter 362, General Laws of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Chapter 195, General and Special Laws, Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, relating to compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

The amendments were severally adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 379 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Allen	Boyer
Allison	Bradbury
Alsup	Bradford
Anderson	Bray
Baker	Bridgers
of Fort Bend	Broadfoot
Baker of Grayson	Brown of Cherokee
Bell	Bundy
Blankenship	Burkett
Bond	Burney
Boyd	Cauthorn

Celaya	Loggins
Chambers	London
Clark	Mays
Cleveland	McAlister
Cockrell	McDaniel
Coleman	McDonald
Colquitt	McMurry
Colson, Mrs.	Mohrmann
Cornett	Monkhouse
Corry	Montgomery
Crossley	Newell
Daniel	Nicholson
Davis of Jasper	Pace
Davis of Upshur	Pevehouse
Derden	Pope
Dickison	Reader of Erath
Dickson	Reaves
Faulkner	Reed
Ferguson	Rhodes
Fielden	Riviere
Fuchs	Roach
Galbreath	Roberts
Gilmer	Robinson
Hale	Russell
Hamilton	Schuenemann
Hankamer	Segrist
Hardeman	Shell
Hardin	Skiles
Harp	Smith of Frio
Harper	Smith of Hopkins
Harrell of Bastrop	Smith
Harrell of Lamar	of Matagorda
Harris	Stinson
Hartzog	Talbert
Heflin	Tarwater
Holland	Taylor
Howington	Tennant
Hull	Thornberry
Hunt	Thornton
Johnson of Ellis	Turner
Johnson of Tarrant	Vale
Kennedy	Vint
Kern	Voigt
Kerr	Waggoner
Kinard	Wells
King	Westbrook
Langdon	White
Lehman	Wood
Leyendecker	Worley
Little	Wright
Lock	

Nays—4

Bailey	McNamara
Gordon, Mrs.	Wilson

Present—Not Voting

Spencer	Weldon
Stoll	

Absent

Brown	Dean
of Nacogdoches	Donaghey

Dwyer	Morris
Felty	Oliver
Goodman	Petsch
Howard	Reader of Bexar
McFarland	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 406 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 406, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 7, Title 93, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature of the State of Texas, pertaining to weights and measures, by amending Article 5714, which provides for the promulgation of specifications and tolerances for commercial weighing and measuring devices, and by adding a new Article to be numbered Article 5714a, providing for the approval of type for commercial weighing and measuring devices, repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 406 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Broadfoot moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 406 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Allen	Bradford
Allison	Bray
Alsup	Broadfoot
Anderson	Brown of Cherokee
Bailey	Brown
Baker	of Nacogdoches
of Fort Bend	Bundy
Baker of Grayson	Burkett
Bell	Burney
Blankenship	Cauthorn
Bond	Celaya
Boyd	Chambers
Boyer	Clark
Bradbury	Cleveland

Cockrell	McAlister
Colquitt	McDaniel
Colson, Mrs.	McDonald
Cornett	McMurry
Corry	McNamara
Crossley	Mohrmann
Daniel	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Montgomery
Davis of Upshur	Morris
Dean	Newell
Derden	Nicholson
Dickison	Pace
Dickson	Petsch
Ferguson	Pevhouse
Fielden	Reader of Erath
Fuchs	Reaves
Galbreath	Reed
Gilmer	Rhodes
Hale	Riviere
Hamilton	Roach
Hankamer	Robinson
Hardeman	Schuenemann
Hardin	Segrist
Harp	Shell
Harper	Skiles
Harrell of Bastrop	Smith of Hopkins
Harrell of Lamar	Smith
Harris	of Matagorda
Hartzog	Spencer
Heflin	Stinson
Howington	Tarwater
Hull	Taylor
Hunt	Tennant
Johnson of Ellis	Thornberry
Johnson of Tarrant	Thornton
Kennedy	Turner
Kern	Vale
Kerr	Vint
Kinard	Voigt
King	Waggoner
Langdon	Weldon
Lehman	Wells
Leyendecker	Westbrook
Little	White
Lock	Wilson
Loggins	Winfree
London	Wood
Mays	Worley

Nays—8

Coleman	Russell
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith of Frio
Holland	Stoll
Roberts	Wright

Absent

Bridgers	Howard
Donaghey	McFarland
Dwyer	Oliver
Faulkner	Pope
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	Talbert

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 406 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Allen	Harp
Allison	Harper
Alsup	Harrell of Bastrop
Anderson	Harrell of Lamar
Bailey	Harris
Baker	Hartzog
of Fort Bend	Heflin
Baker of Grayson	Howington
Bell	Hull
Blankenship	Hunt
Bond	Johnson of Ellis
Boyd	Johnson of Tarrant
Boyer	Kennedy
Bradbury	Kern
Bradford	Kerr
Bray	Kinard
Broadfoot	King
Brown of Cherokee	Langdon
Brown	Lehman
of Nacogdoches	Leyendecker
Bundy	Little
Burkett	Lock
Burney	Loggins
Cauthorn	London
Celaya	Mays
Chambers	McAlister
Clark	McDaniel
Cleveland	McDonald
Cockrell	McMurry
Colquitt	McNamara
Colson, Mrs.	Mohrmann
Cornett	Monkhouse
Corry	Montgomery
Crossley	Morris
Daniel	Newell
Davis of Jasper	Nicholson
Davis of Upshur	Pace
Dean	Petsch
Derden	Pevehouse
Dickison	Reader of Erath
Dickson	Reaves
Ferguson	Reed
Fielden	Rhodes
Fuchs	Riviere
Galbreath	Roach
Gilmer	Robinson
Hale	Schuenemann
Hamilton	Segrist
Hankamer	Shell
Hardeman	Skiles
Hardin	Smith of Hopkins

Smith of Matagorda	Vint
Spencer	Voigt
Stinson	Waggoner
Tarwater	Weldon
Taylor	Wells
Tennant	Westbrook
Thornberry	White
Thornton	Wilson
Turner	Winfree
Vale	Wood
	Worley

Nays—8

Coleman	Russell
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith of Frio
Holland	Stoll
Roberts	Wright

Absent

Bridgers	Howard
Donaghey	McFarland
Dwyer	Oliver
Faulkner	Pope
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	Talbert

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 405 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 405, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 5, Title 14 of the Revised Criminal Statutes of 1925, as amended by Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-first Legislature of the State of Texas by amending Articles 1037 and 1037a relating to weights and measures, and by adding the following new Articles numbered as follows: Articles 1037b, 1037c, 1037d, 1037e, 1037f, 1037g, 1037h, and 1037i, requiring commodities to be sold by weight, measure, or numerical count; regulating the packing and marking of packages and containers; requiring the net quantity of contents of such packages or containers to be plainly and conspicuously marked on the outside of package or container; providing for certain variations in weight; prohibiting deceptive pack; providing standards for the sale of butter, bread, milk, and meat and meat food products; including poultry; providing for establishment of standard net weight, net measure, or net

numerical count for commodities, products or articles; defining certain terms; providing penalties for the enforcement of the Act; repealing laws in conflict; including a saving clause, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 405, page 3, line 17, by inserting after the word "foodstuffs" the words "or merchandise".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 405 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 405 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Broadfoot moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 405 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—127

Allen	Cockrell
Allison	Coleman
Alsup	Colquitt
Anderson	Colson, Mrs.
Bailey	Cornett
Baker	Crossley
of Fort Bend	Daniel
Baker of Grayson	Davis of Jasper
Bell	Davis of Upshur
Blankenship	Dean
Bond	Derden
Boyd	Dickson
Boyer	Dickson
Bradbury	Donaghey
Bradford	Faulkner
Bray	Ferguson
Bridgers	Fielden
Broadfoot	Fuchs
Brown of Cherokee	Galbreath
Brown	Gilmer
of Nacogdoches	Gordon, Mrs.
Bundy	Hale
Burkett	Hamilton
Burney	Hankamer
Cauthorn	Hardeman
Celaya	Hardin
Chambers	Harp
Clark	Harper
Cleveland	Harrell of Lamar

Harris	Reaves
Hartzog	Reed
Heflin	Rhodes
Holland	Riviere
Howington	Roach
Hull	Robinson
Hunt	Schuenemann
Johnson of Ellis	Segrist
Johnson of Tarrant	Shell
Kennedy	Skiles
Kern	Smith of Frio
Kerr	Smith of Hopkins
Kinard	Smith
King	of Matagorda
Langdon	Spencer
Lehman	Stinson
Leyendecker	Stoll
Little	Talbert
Lock	Tarwater
Loggins	Taylor
London	Tennant
Mays	Thornberry
McAlister	Thornton
McDaniel	Turner
McDonald	Vale
McMurry	Voigt
McNamara	Waggoner
Monkhouse	Weldon
Montgomery	Wells
Morris	Westbrook
Newell	White
Nicholson	Wilson
Pace	Winfree
Petsch	Wood
Pevehouse	Worley
Pope	Wright
Reader of Erath	

Nays—4

Corry	Russell
Roberts	Vint

Absent

Dwyer	McFarland
Felty	Mohrmann
Goodman	Oliver
Howard	Reader of Bexar

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 405 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—127

Allen	Alsup
Allison	Anderson

Bailey	Kern
Baker	Kerr
of Fort Bend	Kinard
Baker of Grayson	King
Bell	Langdon
Blankenship	Lehman
Bond	Leyendecker
Boyd	Little
Boyer	Lock
Bradbury	Loggins
Bradford	London
Bray	Mays
Bridgers	McAlister
Brown of Cherokee	McDaniel
Brown	McDonald
of Nacogdoches	McMurry
Bundy	McNamara
Burkett	Monkhouse
Burney	Montgomery
Cauthorn	Morris
Celaya	Newell
Chambers	Nicholson
Clark	Pace
Cleveland	Petsch
Cockrell	Pevehouse
Coleman	Pope
Colquitt	Reader of Erath
Colson, Mrs.	Reaves
Cornett	Reed
Crossley	Rhodes
Daniel	Riviere
Davis of Jasper	Roach
Davis of Upshur	Robinson
Dean	Schuenemann
Derden	Segrist
Dickison	Shell
Dickson	Skiles
Donaghey	Smith of Frio
Faulkner	Smith of Hopkins
Ferguson	Smith
Fielden	of Matagorda
Fuchs	Spencer
Galbreath	Stinson
Gilmer	Stoll
Gordon, Mrs.	Talbert
Hale	Tarwater
Hamilton	Taylor
Hankamer	Tennant
Hardeman	Thornberry
Hardin	Thornton
Harp	Turner
Harper	Vale
Harrell of Lamar	Voigt
Harris	Waggoner
Hartzog	Weldon
Heflin	Wells
Holland	Westbrook
Howington	White
Hull	Wilson
Hunt	Winfree
Johnson of Ellis	Wood
Johnson of Tarrant	Worley
Kennedy	Wright

Nays—4

Corry	Russell
Roberts	Vint

Absent

Broadfoot	McFarland
Dwyer	Mohrmann
Felty	Oliver
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Howard	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 402 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 402, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subdivision 83 of Article 1302, Title 32, Chapter 1 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, relating to the formation of private corporations to organize laborers, working men, wage earners, and farmers to protect themselves in their various pursuits; vesting authority in the Commissioner of Labor Statistics to make investigation concerning applications for charters and amendments to charters for such purposes, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 402 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Bell moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 402 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—128

Allen	Bond
Allison	Boyd
Alsup	Boyer
Anderson	Bradbury
Bailey	Bradford
Baker	Bray
of Fort Bend	Bridgers
Baker of Grayson	Broadfoot
Bell	Brown of Cherokee
Blankenship	Bundy

Burkett	McAlister
Burney	McDaniel
Cauthorn	McDonald
Celaya	McMurry
Chambers	McNamara
Clark	Mohrmann
Cleveland	Monkhouse
Cockrell	Montgomery
Colquitt	Morris
Colson, Mrs.	Newell
Cornett	Nicholson
Corry	Pace
Crossley	Petsch
Davis of Jasper	Pevehouse
Davis of Upshur	Pope
Dean	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Dickson	Reed
Dickison	Rhodes
Faulkner	Riviere
Ferguson	Roach
Fielden	Roberts
Fuchs	Robinson
Galbreath	Russell
Gilmer	Schuenemann
Gordon, Mrs.	Segrist
Hale	Shell
Hamilton	Skiles
Hankamer	Smith of Frio
Hardeman	Smith of Hopkins
Hardin	Smith
Harp	of Matagorda
Harper	Spencer
Harrell of Lamar	Stinson
Harris	Stoll
Hartzog	Talbert
Heflin	Tarwater
Holland	Taylor
Howington	Tennant
Hull	Thornberry
Hunt	Thornton
Johnson of Ellis	Turner
Johnson of Tarrant	Vale
Kennedy	Vint
Kern	Voigt
Kerr	Waggoner
Kinard	Weldon
King	Wells
Langdon	Westbrook
Lehman	White
Leyendecker	Wilson
Little	Winfree
Lock	Wood
London	Worley
Mays	Wright

Present—Not Voting

Daniel	Donaghey
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Absent

Brown	Coleman
of Nacogdoches	Dwyer

Felty	McFarland
Goodman	Oliver
Howard	Reader of Bexar
Loggins	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 402 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—128

Allen	Gordon, Mrs.
Allison	Hale
Alsup	Hamilton
Anderson	Hankamer
Bailey	Hardeman
Baker	Hardin
of Fort Bend	Harp
Baker of Grayson	Harper
Bell	Harrell of Lamar
Blankenship	Harris
Bond	Hartzog
Boyd	Heflin
Boyer	Holland
Bradbury	Howington
Bradford	Hull
Bray	Hunt
Bridgers	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson of Tarrant
Brown of Cherokee	Kennedy
Bundy	Kern
Burkett	Kerr
Burney	Kinard
Cauthorn	King
Celaya	Langdon
Chambers	Lehman
Clark	Leyendecker
Cleveland	Little
Cockrell	Lock
Colquitt	London
Colson, Mrs.	Mays
Cornett	McAlister
Corry	McDaniel
Crossley	McDonald
Davis of Jasper	McMurry
Davis of Upshur	McNamara
Dean	Mohrmann
Derden	Monkhouse
Dickson	Montgomery
Dickison	Morris
Faulkner	Newell
Ferguson	Nicholson
Fielden	Pace
Fuchs	Petsch
Galbreath	Pevehouse
Gilmer	Pope

Reader of Erath	Talbert
Reaves	Tarwater
Reed	Taylor
Rhodes	Tennant
Riviere	Thornberry
Roach	Thornton
Roberts	Turner
Robinson	Vale
Russell	Vint
Schuenemann	Voigt
Segrist	Waggoner
Shell	Weldon
Skiles	Wells
Smith of Frio	Westbrook
Smith of Hopkins	White
Smith	Wilson
of Matagorda	Winfree
Spencer	Wood
Stinson	Worley
Stoll	Wright

Present—Not Voting

Daniel	Donaghey
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Absent

Brown	Howard
of Nacogdoches	Loggins
Coleman	McFarland
Dwyer	Oliver
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 478 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 478, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it a penal offense for any person, agent and/or attorney, knowingly, to make any false statement or report in writing to any department in this State regarding the allowables of oil and/or gas for the purpose of allocating and/or increasing said allowables; defining a dead well; making Act cumulative, and providing that any statement so made shall constitute a felony, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 478 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Burkett moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 478 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—128

Allen	Hardeman
Allison	Hardin
Alsup	Harp
Anderson	Harper
Bailey	Harrell of Lamar
Baker	Harris
of Fort Bend	Hartzog
Baker of Grayson	Heflin
Bell	Holland
Blankenship	Howard
Bond	Howington
Boyd	Hunt
Boyer	Johnson of Ellis
Bradbury	Johnson of Tarrant
Bradford	Kennedy
Bray	Kern
Bridgers	Kerr
Broadfoot	Kinard
Brown of Cherokee	King
Brown	Langdon
of Nacogdoches	Lehman
Bundy	Little
Burkett	Lock
Burney	Loggins
Cauthorn	London
Celaya	Mays
Chambers	McAlister
Clark	McDaniel
Cleveland	McDonald
Cockrell	McMurry
Coleman	McNamara
Colquitt	Mohrmann
Colson, Mrs.	Monkhouse
Cornett	Montgomery
Corry	Morris
Crossley	Newell
Daniel	Nicholson
Davis of Jasper	Pace
Davis of Upshur	Petsch
Dickson	Pevehouse
Dickson	Pope
Faulkner	Reader of Erath
Ferguson	Reaves
Fielden	Reed
Fuchs	Rhodes
Galbreath	Riviere
Gilmer	Roach
Gordon, Mrs.	Roberts
Hale	Robinson
Hamilton	Russell
Hankamer	Schuenemann

Segrist	Thornton
Shell	Turner
Skiles	Vale
Smith of Frio	Vint
Smith of Hopkins	Voigt
Smith	Waggoner
of Matagorda	Weldon
Spencer	Wells
Stinson	Westbrook
Stoll	White
Talbert	Wilson
Tarwater	Wood
Taylor	Worley
Tennant	Wright
Thornberry	

Nays—1

Leyendecker

Absent

Dean	Hull
Derden	McFarland
Donaghey	Oliver
Dwyer	Reader of Bexar
Felty	Winfree
Goodman	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 478 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—128

Allen	Burney
Allison	Cauthorn
Alsup	Celaya
Anderson	Chambers
Bailey	Clark
Baker	Cleveland
of Fort Bend	Cockrell
Baker of Grayson	Coleman
Bell	Colquitt
Blankenship	Colson, Mrs.
Bond	Cornett
Boyd	Corry
Boyer	Crossley
Bradbury	Daniel
Bradford	Davis of Jasper
Bray	Davis of Upshur
Bridgers	Dickson
Broadfoot	Dickson
Brown of Cherokee	Faulkner
Brown	Ferguson
of Nacogdoches	Fielden
Bundy	Fuchs
Burkett	Galbreath

Gilmer	Petsch
Gordon, Mrs.	Pevehouse
Hale	Pope
Hamilton	Reader of Erath
Hankamer	Reaves
Hardeman	Reed
Hardin	Rhodes
Harp	Riviere
Harper	Roach
Harrell of Lamar	Roberts
Harris	Robinson
Hartzog	Russell
Heflin	Schuenemann
Holland	Segrist
Howard	Shell
Howington	Skiles
Hunt	Smith of Frio
Johnson of Ellis	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson of Tarrant	Smith
Kennedy	of Matagorda
Kern	Spencer
Kerr	Stinson
Kinard	Stoll
King	Talbert
Langdon	Tarwater
Lehman	Taylor
Little	Tennant
Lock	Thornberry
Loggins	Thornton
London	Turner
Mays	Vale
McAlister	Vint
McDaniel	Voigt
McDonald	Waggoner
McMurry	Weldon
McNamara	Wells
Mohrmann	Westbrook
Monkhouse	White
Montgomery	Wilson
Morris	Wood
Newell	Worley
Nicholson	Wright
Pace	

Nays—1

Leyendecker

Absent

Dean	Hull
Derden	McFarland
Donaghey	Oliver
Dwyer	Reader of Bexar
Felty	Winfree
Goodman	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

Mr. Anderson moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 481 ON SECOND
READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 481, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing regulations for the use of seines and nets, for the removal of rough fish from the waters of Zavala County; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act; providing a suitable penalty for violation of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Monkhouse offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 481, the last line of Section 1, by striking out the words "and/or" before the word "garfish", changing the period to a comma, and inserting the words "and/or turtles".

Amend House Bill No. 481, by inserting in the emergency clause, before the words "and it is so enacted", the following: "and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage".

The amendments were severally adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 481 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 481 ON THIRD
READING

Mr. Monkhouse moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 481 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Allen	Boyd
Allison	Boyer
Alsup	Bradbury
Anderson	Bradford
Bailey	Bray
Baker	Bridgers
of Fort Bend	Broadfoot
Baker of Grayson	Brown of Cherokee
Bell	Brown
Blankenship	of Nacogdoches
Bond	Bundy

Burkett	Loggins
Burney	London
Cauthorn	Mays
Celaya	McAlister
Chambers	McDaniel
Clark	McDonald
Cleveland	McMurry
Cockrell	McNamara
Colquitt	Mohrmann
Colson, Mrs.	Monkhouse
Cornett	Morris
Corry	Newell
Crossley	Nicholson
Daniel	Pace
Davis of Jasper	Petsch
Davis of Upshur	Pevehouse
Dean	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Dickison	Reed
Dickson	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riviere
Faulkner	Roach
Ferguson	Roberts
Fielden	Robinson
Fuchs	Russell
Galbreath	Schuenemann
Gilmer	Segrist
Gordon, Mrs.	Shell
Hale	Skiles
Hamilton	Smith of Frio
Hardeman	Smith of Hopkins
Hardin	Smith
Harp	of Matagorda
Harper	Spencer
Harrell of Bastrop	Stinson
Harrell of Lamar	Stoll
Harris	Tarwater
Hartzog	Taylor
Heflin	Tennant
Holland	Thornberry
Howington	Thornton
Hunt	Turner
Johnson of Ellis	Vale
Johnson of Tarrant	Vint
Kennedy	Voigt
Kern	Waggoner
Kerr	Weldon
Kinard	Wells
King	Westbrook
Langdon	Wilson
Lehman	Wood
Leyendecker	Worley
Little	Wright
Lock	

Absent

Coleman	Montgomery
Dwyer	Oliver
Felty	Pope
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Hankamer	Talbert
Howard	White
Hull	Winfree
McFarland	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 481 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Allen	Hale
Allison	Hamilton
Alsup	Hardeman
Anderson	Hardin
Bailey	Harp
Baker	Harper
of Fort Bend	Harrell of Bastrop
Baker of Grayson	Harrell of Lamar
Bell	Harris
Blankenship	Hartzog
Bond	Heflin
Boyd	Holland
Boyer	Howington
Bradbury	Hunt
Bradford	Johnson of Ellis
Bray	Johnson of Tarrant
Bridgers	Kennedy
Broadfoot	Kern
Brown of Cherokee	Kerr
Brown	Kinard
of Nacogdoches	King
Bundy	Langdon
Burkett	Lehman
Burney	Leyendecker
Cauthorn	Little
Celaya	Lock
Chambers	Loggins
Clark	London
Cleveland	Mays
Cockrell	McAlister
Colquitt	McDaniel
Colson, Mrs.	McDonald
Cornett	McMurry
Corry	McNamara
Crossley	Mohrmann
Daniel	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Morris
Davis of Upshur	Newell
Dean	Nicholson
Derden	Pace
Dickison	Petsch
Dickson	Pevehouse
Donaghey	Reader of Erath
Faulkner	Reaves
Ferguson	Reed
Fielden	Rhodes
Fuchs	Riviere
Galbreath	Roach
Gilmer	Roberts
Gordon, Mrs.	Robinson

Russell	Thornberry
Schuenemann	Thornton
Segrist	Turner
Shell	Vale
Skiles	Vint
Smith of Frio	Voigt
Smith of Hopkins	Waggoner
Smith	Weldon
of Matagorda	Wells
Spencer	Westbrook
Stinson	Wilson
Stoll	Wood
Tarwater	Worley
Taylor	Wright
Tennant	

Absent

Coleman	Montgomery
Dwyer	Oliver
Felty	Pope
Goodman	Reader of Bexar
Hankamer	Talbert
Howard	White
Hull	Winfree
McFarland	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 482 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No: 482, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing a closed season during the months of January, February, March and April for taking or attempting to take fish in Uvalde and Zavala Counties; prohibiting the taking of minnows in Uvalde and Zavala Counties for commercial purposes; repealing all laws insofar as they conflict with this Act, providing a suitable penalty, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Monkhouse offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 482, by inserting in the emergency clause, before the words "and it is so enacted" the following: "and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage".

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 482 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 482 ON THIRD
READING

Mr. Monkhouse moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 482 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Allen	Harp
Allison	Harper
Alsup	Harrell of Lamar
Anderson	Harris
Bailey	Hartzog
Baker	Heflin
of Fort Bend	Holland
Baker of Grayson	Howard
Bell	Howington
Blankenship	Hull
Bond	Hunt
Boyd	Johnson of Ellis
Boyer	Johnson of Tarrant
Bradbury	Kennedy
Bradford	Kern
Bray	Kerr
Bridgers	Kinard
Brown of Cherokee	King
Brown	Langdon
of Nacogdoches	Lehman
Bundy	Leyendecker
Burney	Little
Cauthorn	Lock
Celaya	Loggins
Chambers	London
Clark	Mays
Cleveland	McAlister
Cockrell	McDaniel
Coleman	McDonald
Colquitt	McFarland
Colson, Mrs.	McMurry
Cornett	McNamara
Corry	Mohrmann
Crossley	Monkhouse
Daniel	Newell
Davis of Jasper	Nicholson
Davis of Upshur	Pace
Dickison	Petsch
Dickson	Pevehouse
Donaghey	Reader of Erath
Faulkner	Reaves
Ferguson	Reed
Fielden	Rhodes
Fuchs	Riviere
Galbreath	Roach
Gilmer	Roberts
Gordon, Mrs.	Robinson
Hale	Russell
Hamilton	Schuenemann
Hankamer	Segrist
Hardeman	Shell
Hardin	Skiles

Smith of Frio	Turner
Smith of Hopkins	Vale
Smith	Vint
of Matagorda	Voigt
Spencer	Waggoner
Stinson	Weldon
Stoll	Wells
Tarwater	Westbrook
Taylor	Wilson
Tennant	Wood
Thornberry	Wright
Thornton	

Absent

Broadfoot	Morris
Burkett	Oliver
Dean	Pope
Derden	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	Talbert
Felty	White
Goodman	Winfree
Montgomery	Worley

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 482 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—123

Allen	Coleman
Allison	Colquitt
Alsup	Colson, Mrs.
Anderson	Cornett
Bailey	Corry
Baker	Crossley
of Fort Bend	Daniel
Baker of Grayson	Davis of Jasper
Bell	Davis of Upshur
Blankenship	Dickison
Bond	Dickson
Boyd	Donaghey
Boyer	Faulkner
Bradbury	Ferguson
Bradford	Fielden
Bray	Fuchs
Bridgers	Galbreath
Brown of Cherokee	Gilmer
Brown	Gordon, Mrs.
of Nacogdoches	Hale
Bundy	Hamilton
Burney	Hankamer
Cauthorn	Hardeman
Celaya	Hardin
Chambers	Harp
Clark	Harper
Cleveland	Harrell of Lamar
Cockrell	Harris

Hartzog	Reaves
Heflin	Reed
Holland	Rhodes
Howington	Riviere
Hull	Roach
Hunt	Roberts
Johnson of Ellis	Robinson
Johnson of Tarrant	Russell
Kennedy	Schuenemann
Kern	Segrist
Kerr	Shell
Kinard	Skiles
King	Smith of Frio
Langdon	Smith of Hopkins
Lehman	Smith
Leyendecker	of Matagorda
Little	Spencer
Lock	Stinson
Loggins	Stoll
London	Tarwater
Mays	Taylor
McAlister	Tennant
McDaniel	Thornberry
McDonald	Thornton
McFarland	Turner
McMurry	Vale
McNamara	Vint
Mohrmann	Voigt
Monkhouse	Waggoner
Newell	Weldon
Nicholson	Wells
Pace	Westbrook
Petsch	Wilson
Pevehouse	Wood
Reader of Erath	Wright

Absent

Broadfoot	Morris
Burkett	Oliver
Dean	Pope
Derden	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	Talbert
Felty	White
Goodman	Winfree
Howard	Worley
Montgomery	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 205 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1055, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Johnson of Tarrant offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 205, as follows: Strike out everything after the word "costs" at the end of the first sentence in Section 1 of the bill, and substitute therefor, the following:

"The county shall be liable for one half of the fees of the arresting officer, when the defendant fails to pay his fine and lays his fine out in the county jail or discharges the same by means of working such fine out on the county roads or on any county project. And to pay such half of costs, the County Clerk shall issue his warrant on the County Treasurer in favor of such officer to be paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund or other funds not otherwise appropriated."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 205 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 205 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Johnson of Tarrant moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 205 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Allison	Clark
Alsup	Cockrell
Anderson	Coleman
Bailey	Colquitt
Baker	Colson, Mrs.
of Fort Bend	Cornett
Baker of Grayson	Corry
Bell	Crossley
Blankenship	Daniel
Bond	Davis of Jasper
Boyer	Dean
Bradbury	Derden
Bradford	Dickison
Bray	Dickson
Bridgers	Donaghey
Broadfoot	Faulkner
Brown of Cherokee	Ferguson
Bundy	Fielden
Burkett	Fuchs
Celaya	Galbreath

Gilmer	Newell
Gordon, Mrs.	Nicholson
Hale	Pace
Hamilton	Petsch
Hankamer	Pevehouse
Hardeman	Reader of Erath
Hardin	Reed
Harp	Rhodes
Harper	Riviere
Harrell of Bastrop	Roberts
Harrell of Lamar	Robinson
Harris	Russell
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Heflin	Segrist
Holland	Shell
Howard	Skiles
Hull	Smith of Frio
Hunt	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson of Ellis	Smith
Johnson of Tarrant	of Matagorda
Kennedy	Spencer
Kern	Stinson
Kerr	Stoll
Kinard	Talbert
King	Tarwater
Langdon	Taylor
Lehman	Tennant
Leyendecker	Thornberry
Little	Thornton
Lock	Turner
Loggins	Vale
London	Vint
Mays	Voigt
McAlister	Waggoner
McDaniel	Weldon
McDonald	Wells
McMurry	Westbrook
McNamara	Wilson
Mohrmann	Wood
Monkhouse	Worley
Montgomery	Wright
Morris	

Nays—7

Allen	Davis of Upshur
Boyd	Howington
Cauthorn	Roach
Chambers	

Absent

Brown	McFarland
of Nacogdoches	Oliver
Burney	Pope
Cleveland	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	Reaves
Felty	White
Goodman	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 205 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Allison	Hull
Alsup	Hunt
Anderson	Johnson of Ellis
Bailey	Johnson of Tarrant
Baker	Kennedy
of Fort Bend	Kern
Baker of Grayson	Kerr
Bell	Kinard
Blankenship	King
Bond	Langdon
Boyer	Lehman
Bradbury	Leyendecker
Bradford	Little
Bray	Lock
Bridgers	Loggins
Broadfoot	London
Brown of Cherokee	Mays
Bundy	McAlister
Burkett	McDaniel
Celaya	McDonald
Clark	McMurry
Cockrell	McNamara
Coleman	Mohrmann
Colquitt	Monkhouse
Colson, Mrs.	Montgomery
Cornett	Morris
Corry	Newell
Crossley	Nicholson
Daniel	Pace
Davis of Jasper	Petsch
Dean	Pevehouse
Derden	Reader of Erath
Dickison	Reed
Dickson	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riviere
Faulkner	Roberts
Ferguson	Robinson
Fielden	Russell
Fuchs	Schuenemann
Galbreath	Segrist
Gilmer	Shell
Gordon, Mrs.	Skiles
Hale	Smith of Frio
Hamilton	Smith of Hopkins
Hankamer	Smith
Hardeman	of Matagorda
Hardin	Spencer
Harp	Stinson
Harper	Stoll
Harrell of Bastrop	Talbert
Harrell of Lamar	Tarwater
Harris	Taylor
Hartzog	Tennant
Heflin	Thornberry
Holland	Thornton
Howard	Turner

Vale	Westbrook
Vint	Wilson
Voigt	Wood
Waggoner	Worley
Weldon	Wright
Wells	

Nays—7

Allen	Davis of Upshur
Boyd	Howington
Cauthorn	Roach
Chambers	

Absent

Brown	McFarland
of Nacogdoches	Oliver
Burney	Pope
Cleveland	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	Reaves
Felty	White
Goodman	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 493 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 493, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 5986 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, eliminating certain provisions of said Article, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 493 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Smith of Frio moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 493 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Allen	Bond
Allison	Boyd
Alsup	Boyer
Anderson	Bradbury
Bailey	Bradford
Baker	Bray
of Fort Bend	Bridgers
Baker of Grayson	Broadfoot
Bell	Brown of Cherokee
Blankenship	Bundy

Burkett	Lock
Burney	London
Cauthorn	Mays
Celaya	McAlister
Chambers	McDaniel
Clark	McDonald
Cleveland	McMurry
Cockrell	McNamara
Colquitt	Mohrmann
Colson, Mrs.	Monkhouse
Cornett	Montgomery
Corry	Morris
Crossley	Newell
Daniel	Nicholson
Davis of Jasper	Pace
Davis of Upshur	Petsch
Dean	Pevehouse
Derden	Reader of Erath
Dickison	Reaves
Dickson	Reed
Donaghey	Rhodes
Faulkner	Riviere
Ferguson	Roach
Fielden	Roberts
Fuchs	Robinson
Galbreath	Russell
Gilmer	Schuenemann
Gordon, Mrs.	Segrist
Hale	Shell
Hamilton	Skiles
Hankamer	Smith of Frio
Hardeman	Smith of Hopkins
Hardin	Smith
Harp	of Matagorda
Harper	Spencer
Harrell of Lamar	Stinson
Harris	Talbert
Hartzog	Tarwater
Heflin	Taylor
Holland	Tennant
Howington	Thornberry
Hull	Thornton
Hunt	Turner
Johnson of Ellis	Vale
Johnson of Tarrant	Vint
Kennedy	Voigt
Kern	Waggoner
Kerr	Weldon
Kinard	Wells
King	Westbrook
Langdon	Wilson
Lehman	Wood
Leyendecker	Worley
Little	Wright

Nays—1

Stoll

Absent

Brown	Goodman
of Nacogdoches	Howard
Coleman	Loggins
Dwyer	McFarland
Felty	Oliver

Pope
Reader of Bexar

White
Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell
Harrell of Bastrop
Isaacks
Keith

Kersey
Piner
Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 493 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—127

Allen	Gordon, Mrs.
Allison	Hale
Alsup	Hamilton
Anderson	Hankamer
Bailey	Hardeman
Baker	Hardin
of Fort Bend	Harp
Baker of Grayson	Harper
Bell	Harrell of Lamar
Blankenship	Harris
Bond	Hartzog
Boyd	Heflin
Boyer	Holland
Bradbury	Howard
Bradford	Howington
Bray	Hull
Bridgers	Hunt
Broadfoot	Johnson of Ellis
Brown of Cherokee	Johnson of Tarrant
Bundy	Kennedy
Burkett	Kern
Burney	Kerr
Cauthorn	Kinard
Celaya	King
Chambers	Langdon
Clark	Lehman
Cleveland	Leyendecker
Cockrell	Little
Colquitt	Lock
Colson, Mrs.	London
Cornett	Mays
Corry	McAlister
Crossley	McDaniel
Daniel	McDonald
Davis of Jasper	McMurry
Davis of Upshur	McNamara
Dean	Mohrmann
Derden	Monkhouse
Dickison	Montgomery
Dickson	Morris
Donaghey	Newell
Faulkner	Nicholson
Ferguson	Pace
Fielden	Petsch
Fuchs	Pevehouse
Galbreath	Reader of Erath
Gilmer	Reaves

Reed	Tarwater
Rhodes	Taylor
Riviere	Tennant
Roach	Thornberry
Roberts	Thornton
Robinson	Turner
Russell	Vale
Schuenemann	Vint
Segrist	Voigt
Shell	Waggoner
Skiles	Weldon
Smith of Frio	Wells
Smith of Hopkins	Westbrook
Smith	Wilson
of Matagorda	Wood
Spencer	Worley
Stinson	Wright
Talbert	

Nays—1

Stoll

Absent

Brown	McFarland
of Nacogdoches	Oliver
Coleman	Pope
Dwyer	Reader of Bexar
Felty	White
Goodman	Winfree
Loggins	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 518 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 518, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any person to engage in fishing from any causeway, bridge or structure located on any highway being maintained by the State Highway Department; making the violation of this Act a misdemeanor and providing a penalty for violation, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Wood offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 518, by adding a new Section to be known as Section 3, which is to read as follows:

"The State Highway Commission, through and by its authorized agents or representatives, is hereby in-

structed to post signs on every causeway, bridge, or structure affected by this Act."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hartzog offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 518, by adding at the end of Section 1, between lines 32 and 33, the following language:

"Provided, however, that this Act shall not apply to fishing from the Lavaca Bay Causeway in Calhoun County, unless and until the State Highway Department shall have constructed a pedestrians walk-way along the length of said causeway from which persons may fish and shall have provided adequate parks for parking cars at each end of said structure."

HARTZOG,
BELL,
SMITH of Matagorda,
GALBREATH.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hartzog offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 518, by striking out all of Section 1, on page 1, and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

"Section 1. From and after the effective date of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person to engage in fishing or to deposit or leave any dead fish, crabs, or bait upon the deck of any causeway, or bridge located on any highway which is being maintained by the State Highway Department. Provided that it shall be legal to fish from any section of such structure reserved for pedestrian traffic."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 518 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 518 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Monkhouse moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 518 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Howington
Allison	Hull
Anderson	Hunt
Bailey	Johnson of Ellis
Baker	Johnson of Tarrant
of Fort Bend	Kennedy
Baker of Grayson	Kern
Bell	Kerr
Blankenship	Kinard
Bond	King
Boyd	Langdon
Boyer	Lehman
Bradbury	Leyendecker
Bradford	Little
Bray	Loggins
Bridgers	London
Broadfoot	Mays
Brown of Cherokee	McAlister
Brown	McDaniel
of Nacogdoches	McDonald
Bundy	McMurry
Burkett	McNamara
Burney	Mohrmann
Cauthorn	Monkhouse
Celaya	Montgomery
Chambers	Newell
Clark	Nicholson
Cleveland	Pace
Cockrell	Petsch
Colquitt	Pope
Colson, Mrs.	Reader of Erath
Cornett	Reaves
Daniel	Reed
Davis of Jasper	Rhodes
Davis of Upshur	Riviere
Dean	Roach
Derden	Roberts
Dickison	Robinson
Dickson	Russell
Donaghey	Schuenemann
Faulkner	Segrist
Ferguson	Shell
Fielden	Smith of Frio
Fuchs	Smith of Hopkins
Galbreath	Spencer
Gilmer	Stinson
Gordon, Mrs.	Stoll
Hale	Tarwater
Hamilton	Taylor
Hankamer	Tennant
Hardin	Thornton
Harp	Turner
Harper	Vale
Harrell of Lamar	Vint
Harris	Voigt
Hartzog	Waggoner
Holland	Weldon
Howard	Wells

Wilson
Wood

Worley
Wright

Nays—7

Alsup
Corry
Lock
Pevehouse

Skiles
Thornberry
Westbrook

Absent

Coleman
Crossley
Dwyer
Feltz
Goodman
Hardeman
Heflin
McFarland

Morris
Oliver
Reader of Bexar
Smith
of Matagorda
Talbert
White
Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell
Harrell of Bastrop
Isaacks
Keith

Kersey
Piner
Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 518 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Allen
Allison
Anderson
Bailey
Baker
of Fort Bend
Baker of Grayson
Bell
Blankenship
Bond
Boyd
Boyer
Bradbury
Bradford
Bray
Bridgers
Broadfoot
Brown of Cherokee
Brown
of Nacogdoches
Bundy
Burkett
Burney
Cauthorn
Celaya
Chambers
Clark
Cleveland
Cockrell
Colquitt

Colson, Mrs.
Cornett
Daniel
Davis of Jasper
Davis of Upshur
Dean
Derden
Dickson
Dickson
Donaghey
Faulkner
Ferguson
Fielden
Fuchs
Galbreath
Gilmer
Gordon, Mrs.
Hale
Hamilton
Hankamer
Hardin
Harp
Harper
Harrell of Lamar
Harris
Hartzog
Holland
Howington
Hull
Hunt

Johnson of Ellis
Johnson of Tarrant
Kennedy
Kern
Kerr
Kinard
King
Langdon
Lehman
Leyendecker
Little
Loggins
London
Mays
McAlister
McDaniel
McDonald
McMurry
McNamara
Mohrmann
Monkhouse
Montgomery
Newell
Nicholson
Pace
Petsch
Pope
Reader of Erath
Reaves
Reed

Rhodes
Riviere
Roach
Roberts
Robinson
Russell
Schuenemann
Segrist
Shell
Smith of Frio
Smith of Hopkins
Spencer
Stinson
Stoll
Tarwater
Taylor
Tennant
Thornton
Turner
Vale
Vint
Voigt
Waggoner
Weldon
Wells
Wilson
Wood
Worley
Wright

Nays—7

Alsup
Corry
Lock
Pevehouse

Skiles
Thornberry
Westbrook

Absent

Coleman
Crossley
Dwyer
Feltz
Goodman
Hardeman
Heflin
Howard
McFarland

Morris
Oliver
Reader of Bexar
Smith
of Matagorda
Talbert
White
Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell
Harrell of Bastrop
Isaacks
Keith

Kersey
Piner
Ragsdale

CONCERNING BILLS ON LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED BILL CALENDAR

Mr. Bradbury moved that when objections have been offered to a bill on the local and uncontested bill calendar, that all bills objected to shall be placed at the end of the local and uncontested bill calendar.

The motion prevailed.

(Mr. Blankenship in the Chair.)

HOUSE BILL NO. 526 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 526, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioner of Agriculture of this State to establish and maintain quarantine regulations in order to prevent the introduction into or the spread within this State of pests and diseases for the protection of agricultural industry of this State and to provide for the inspection of things and plants with reference to such quarantine, requiring persons to notify the Commissioner of Agriculture of the arrival of such things and plants against which a quarantine has been established and to hold them for inspection, and providing for the disposal of such infected things or plants by the Commissioner of Agriculture and further providing the manner of declaring such quarantines and providing for investigation by the Commissioner of Agriculture in order to determine the existence of such pests and diseases and authorizing him to declare and enforce quarantine in order to prevent the spread thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 526 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Leonard moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 526 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—123

Allen	Bradbury
Allison	Bradford
Alsup	Bray
Anderson	Bridgers
Bailey	Broadfoot
Baker	Brown of Cherokee
of Fort Bend	Brown
Baker of Grayson	of Nacogdoches
Bell	Bundy
Bond	Burkett
Boyd	Burney
Boyer	Cauthorn

Celaya	Loggins
Chambers	London
Clark	Mays
Cleveland	McAlister
Cockrell	McDaniel
Colquitt	McDonald
Colson, Mrs.	McMurry
Cornett	McNamara
Crossley	Mohrmann
Daniel	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Montgomery
Davis of Upshur	Newell
Derden	Nicholson
Dickison	Pace
Dickson	Petsch
Donaghey	Pevehouse
Faulkner	Pope
Ferguson	Reader of Erath
Fielden	Reaves
Fuchs	Reed
Galbreath	Rhodes
Gilmer	Riviere
Gordon, Mrs.	Roach
Hale	Roberts
Hamilton	Robinson
Hankamer	Russell
Hardeman	Segrist
Hardin	Skiles
Harp	Smith of Frio
Harper	Smith of Hopkins
Harrell of Bastrop	Spencer
Harrell of Lamar	Stinson
Harris	Stoll
Hartzog	Talbert
Holland	Tarwater
Howington	Taylor
Hull	Tennant
Hunt	Thornberry
Johnson of Ellis	Thornton
Johnson of Tarrant	Turner
Kennedy	Vale
Kern	Vint
Kerr	Voigt
Kinard	Waggoner
King	Weldon
Langdon	Wells
Lehman	Wilson
Leonard	Wood
Leyendecker	Worley
Little	Wright
Lock	

Absent

Blankenship	Morris
Coleman	Oliver
Corry	Reader of Bexar
Dean	Schuenemann
Dwyer	Shell
Felty	Smith
Goodman	of Matagorda
Heflin	Westbrook
Howard	White
McFarland	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 526 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Allen	Hardeman
Allison	Hardin
Alsup	Harp
Anderson	Harper
Bailey	Harrell of Bastrop
Baker	Harrell of Lamar
of Fort Bend	Harris
Baker of Grayson	Hartzog
Bell	Holland
Bond	Howard
Boyd	Howington
Boyer	Hull
Bradbury	Hunt
Bradford	Johnson of Ellis
Bray	Johnson of Tarrant
Bridgers	Kennedy
Broadfoot	Kern
Brown of Cherokee	Kerr
Brown	Kinard
of Nacogdoches	King
Bundy	Langdon
Burkett	Lehman
Burney	Leonard
Cauthorn	Leyendecker
Celaya	Little
Chambers	Lock
Clark	Loggins
Cleveland	London
Cockrell	Mays
Colquitt	McAlister
Colson, Mrs.	McDaniel
Cornett	McDonald
Crossley	McMurry
Daniel	McNamara
Davis of Jasper	Mohrmann
Davis of Upshur	Monkhouse
Derden	Montgomery
Dickson	Newell
Dickson	Nicholson
Donaghey	Pace
Faulkner	Petsch
Ferguson	Pevehouse
Fielden	Pope
Fuchs	Reader of Erath
Galbreath	Reaves
Gilmer	Reed
Gordon, Mrs.	Rhodes
Hale	Riviere
Hamilton	Roach
Hankamer	Roberts

Robinson	Thornberry
Russell	Thornton
Segrist	Turner
Skiles	Vale
Smith of Frio	Vint
Smith of Hopkins	Voigt
Spencer	Waggoner
Stinson	Weldon
Stoll	Wells
Talbert	Wilson
Tarwater	Wood
Taylor	Worley
Tennant	Wright

Absent

Blankenship	Oliver
Coleman	Reader of Bexar
Corry	Schuenemann
Dean	Shell
Dwyer	Smith
Felty	of Matagorda
Goodman	Westbrook
Heflin	White
McFarland	Winfree
Morris	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Isaacks	Piner
Keith	Ragsdale

(Mr. Leonard in the Chair.)

HOUSE BILL NO. 564 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 564, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subdivision (b) of the first paragraph of Article 2529 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, amended by Acts of 1937, Forty-fifth Legislature, page 319, Chapter 164, Section 1, so as to henceforth include within its provisions bonds issued by the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation and consolidated Federal Land Bank bonds, declaring that all laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, fixing the effective date of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hardeman offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 564, page 1, Section 1, line 39, by striking out the words "and consolidated Federal Land Bank bonds," and substituting in lieu thereof the words "provided both principal and interest of said bonds are

guaranteed by the United States Government";

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Hardeman, House Bill No. 564 was amended to include an emergency clause.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 564 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 564 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hardeman moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 564 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Allen	Davis of Upshur
Allison	Dean
Alsup	Derden
Anderson	Dickison
Bailey	Dickson
Baker	Donaghey
of Fort Bend	Ferguson
Baker of Grayson	Fielden
Bell	Fuchs
Blankenship	Galbreath
Bond	Gilmer
Boyd	Gordon, Mrs.
Boyer	Hale
Bradbury	Hamilton
Bradford	Hankamer
Bray	Hardeman
Bridgers	Hardin
Brown of Cherokee	Harp
Brown	Harper
of Nacogdoches	Harrell of Lamar
Bundy	Harris
Burkett	Heflin
Burney	Holland
Cauthorn	Howington
Celaya	Hull
Chambers	Hunt
Clark	Johnson of Ellis
Cleveland	Johnson of Tarrant
Cockrell	Kennedy
Coleman	Kern
Colquitt	Kerr
Colson, Mrs.	Kinard
Cornett	King
Corry	Langdon
Crossley	Lehman
Daniel	Leyendecker
Davis of Jasper	Little

Lock	Segrist
Loggins	Shell
London	Skiles
Mays	Smith of Frio
McAlister	Smith of Hopkins
McDaniel	Smith
McDonald	of Matagorda
McMurry	Spencer
McNamara	Stoll
Mohrmann	Talbert
Monkhouse	Tarwater
Montgomery	Taylor
Morris	Tennant
Newell	Thornberry
Nicholson	Thornton
Pace	Turner
Petsch	Vale
Pevehouse	Vint
Reader of Erath	Voigt
Reaves	Waggoner
Reed	Weldon
Rhodes	Wells
Riviere	Westbrook
Roach	Wilson
Roberts	Wood
Robinson	Worley
Russell	Wright
Schuenemann	

Nays—1

Stinson

Absent

Broadfoot	McFarland
Dwyer	Oliver
Faulkner	Pope
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Goodman	White
Hartzog	Winfree
Howard	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 564 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Allen	Bond
Allison	Boyd
Alsup	Boyer
Anderson	Bradbury
Bailey	Bradford
Baker	Bray
of Fort Bend	Bridgers
Baker of Grayson	Brown of Cherokee
Bell	Brown
Blankenship	of Nacogdoches

Bundy	Loggins
Burkett	London
Burney	Mays
Cauthorn	McAlister
Celaya	McDaniel
Chambers	McDonald
Clark	McMurry
Cleveland	McNamara
Cockrell	Mohrmann
Coleman	Monkhouse
Colquitt	Montgomery
Colson, Mrs.	Morris
Cornett	Newell
Corry	Nicholson
Crossley	Pace
Daniel	Petsch
Davis of Jasper	Pevehouse
Davis of Upshur	Reader of Erath
Dean	Reaves
Derden	Reed
Dickison	Rhodes
Dickson	Riviere
Donaghey	Roach
Ferguson	Roberts
Fielden	Robinson
Fuchs	Russell
Galbreath	Schuenemann
Gilmer	Segrist
Gordon, Mrs.	Shell
Hale	Skiles
Hamilton	Smith of Frio
Hankamer	Smith of Hopkins
Hardin	Smith
Harp	of Matagorda
Harper	Spencer
Harrell of Lamar	Stoll
Harris	Talbert
Heflin	Tarwater
Holland	Taylor
Howard	Tennant
Howington	Thornberry
Hull	Thornton
Hunt	Turner
Johnson of Ellis	Vale
Johnson of Tarrant	Vint
Kennedy	Voigt
Kern	Waggoner
Kerr	Weldon
Kinard	Wells
King	Westbrook
Langdon	Wilson
Lehman	Wood
Leyendecker	Worley
Little	Wright
Lock	

Nays—1

Stinson

Absent

Broadfoot	Goodman
Dwyer	Hardeman
Faulkner	Hartzog
Felty	McFarland

Oliver	White
Pope	Winfree
Reader of Bexar	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 580 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 580, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and empowering any city to issue its negotiable bonds, payable from revenues other than taxation, for the purchase, construction, repair, improvement, extension or enlargement of its water system, sanitary sewer system, natural gas system, or electric light and power system, the purchase of additional water powers, lands for reservoirs, sewage, disposal plants and other water or sewer purposes, and riparian rights, and the purchase and improvement of parks and/or swimming pools, or either one or all of said purposes; providing that such bonds shall be solely a charge upon the revenues and properties pledged to secure their payment; providing that such bonds shall not be issued unless the proposition is first submitted to and authorized by a majority of the qualified voters who own taxable property in such city and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, voting at an election held for that purpose, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Morris offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 580, by adding at end of Section 14, the following:

"Provided, however, that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to any proceedings, levies, or to any bonds or warrants issued thereunder, the validity of which has been contested or attached in suit or litigation which is pending at the time this Act becomes a law, or which may be filed within 90 days after this Act becomes a law."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Morris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 580 by adding thereto a new Section, to be known as Section 17a, which shall read and provide, as follows:

"Sec. 17-a. No such water system, sanitary sewer system, natural gas system, electric light and power system, parks and/or swimming pools, shall ever be sold until such sale is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of such city, who own taxable property in such city, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, voting at an election held for that purpose. The method of ordering and holding such election shall be governed by the laws of this State regulating elections for the issuance of city bonds under Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, and amendments thereto."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 580 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 580 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Morris moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 580 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

Yeas—130

Allen	Cauthorn
Allison	Celaya
Alsup	Chambers
Anderson	Clark
Bailey	Cleveland
Baker	Cockrell
of Fort Bend	Coleman
Baker of Grayson	Colquitt
Bell	Colson, Mrs.
Blankenship	Cornett
Bond	Corry
Boyd	Crossley
Boyer	Daniel
Bradbury	Davis of Jasper
Bradford	Davis of Upshur
Bray	Dean
Brown of Cherokee	Derden
Brown	Dickison
of Nacogdoches	Dickson
Bundy	Donaghey
Burkett	Faulkner

Ferguson	Morris
Fielden	Newell
Fuchs	Nicholson
Galbreath	Oliver
Gilmer	Pace
Goodman	Petsch
Gordon, Mrs.	Pevehouse
Hale	Reader of Erath
Hamilton	Reaves
Hankamer	Reed
Hardeman	Rhodes
Hardin	Riviere
Harp	Roach
Harper	Roberts
Harrell of Lamar	Robinson
Harris	Russell
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Heflin	Segrist
Holland	Shell
Howard	Skiles
Howington	Smith of Frio
Hull	Smith of Hopkins
Hunt	Smith
Johnson of Ellis	of Matagorda
Johnson of Tarrant	Spencer
Kennedy	Stinson
Kern	Stoll
Kerr	Talbert
Kinard	Tarwater
King	Taylor
Langdon	Tennant
Lehman	Thornberry
Little	Thornton
Lock	Turner
Loggins	Vale
London	Vint
Mays	Voigt
McAlister	Waggoner
McDaniel	Weldon
McDonald	Wells
McFarland	Westbrook
McMurry	Wilson
McNamara	Wood
Mohrmann	Worley
Monkhouse	Wright
Montgomery	

Absent

Bridgers	Leyendecker
Broadfoot	Pope
Burney	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	White
Felty	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 580 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—130

Allen	Heflin
Allison	Holland
Alsup	Howard
Anderson	Howington
Bailey	Hull
Baker	Hunt
of Fort Bend	Johnson of Ellis
Baker of Grayson	Johnson of Tarrant
Bell	Kennedy
Blankenship	Kern
Bond	Kerr
Boyd	Kinard
Boyer	King
Bradbury	Langdon
Bradford	Lehman
Bray	Little
Brown of Cherokee	Lock
Brown	Loggins
of Nacogdoches	London
Bundy	Mays
Burkett	McAlister
Cauthorn	McDaniel
Celaya	McDonald
Chambers	McFarland
Clark	McMurry
Cleveland	McNamara
Cockrell	Mohrmann
Coleman	Monkhouse
Colquitt	Montgomery
Colson, Mrs.	Morris
Cornett	Newell
Corry	Nicholson
Crossley	Oliver
Daniel	Pace
Davis of Jasper	Petsch
Davis of Upshur	Pevehouse
Dean	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Dickison	Reed
Dickson	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riviere
Faulkner	Roach
Ferguson	Roberts
Fielden	Robinson
Fuchs	Russell
Galbreath	Schuenemann
Gilmer	Segrist
Goodman	Shell
Gordon, Mrs.	Skiles
Hale	Smith of Frio
Hamilton	Smith of Hopkins
Hankamer	Smith
Hardeman	of Matagorda
Hardin	Spencer
Harp	Stinson
Harper	Stoll
Harrell of Lamar	Talbert
Harris	Tarwater
Hartzog	Taylor

Tennant	Weldon
Thornberry	Wells
Thornton	Westbrook
Turner	Wilson
Vale	Wood
Vint	Worley
Voigt	Wright
Waggoner	

Absent

Bridgers	Leyendecker
Broadfoot	Pope
Burney	Reader of Bexar
Dwyer	White
Felty	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

SENATE BILL NO. 263 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 263, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road law for Randall County, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 263 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Little moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 263 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Allen	Bridgers
Allison	Brown of Cherokee
Alsup	Brown
Anderson	of Nacogdoches
Bailey	Bundy
Baker	Burkett
of Fort Bend	Burney
Baker of Grayson	Cauthorn
Bell	Celaya
Blankenship	Chambers
Bond	Clark
Boyd	Cleveland
Boyer	Cockrell
Bradbury	Colquitt
Bradford	Colson, Mrs.
Bray	Cornett

Corry	McMurry
Crossley	McNamara
Daniel	Mohrmann
Davis of Jasper	Monkhouse
Davis of Upshur	Montgomery
Derden	Morris
Dickison	Newell
Dickson	Nicholson
Donaghey	Pace
Faulkner	Petsch
Ferguson	Pevehouse
Fielden	Reader of Erath
Fuchs	Reaves
Galbreath	Reed
Gordon, Mrs.	Rhodes
Hale	Riviere
Hamilton	Roach
Hankamer	Roberts
Hardeman	Robinson
Hardin	Russell
Harp	Schuenemann
Harper	Segrist
Harrell of Lamar	Shell
Harris	Skiles
Heflin	Smith of Frio
Holland	Smith of Hopkins
Howard	Spencer
Howington	Stinson
Hull	Stoll
Hunt	Talbert
Johnson of Ellis	Tarwater
Johnson of Tarrant	Taylor
Kennedy	Tennant
Kern	Thornberry
Kerr	Thornton
Kinard	Turner
King	Vale
Langdon	Vint
Lehman	Voigt
Little	Waggoner
Lock	Weldon
Loggins	Wells
London	Westbrook
Mays	Wilson
McAlister	Wood
McDaniel	Worley
McDonald	Wright

Absent

Broadfoot	McFarland
Coleman	Oliver
Dean	Pope
Dwyer	Reader of Bexar
Felty	Smith
Gilmer	of Matagorda
Goodman	White
Hartzog	Winfree
Leyendecker	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Isaacks
Harrell of Bastrop	Keith

Kersey	Ragsdale
Piner	

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 263 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Allen	Harper
Allison	Harrell of Lamar
Alsup	Harris
Anderson	Heflin
Bailey	Holland
Baker	Howington
of Fort Bend	Hull
Baker of Grayson	Hunt
Bell	Johnson of Ellis
Blankenship	Johnson of Tarrant
Bond	Kennedy
Boyd	Kern
Boyer	Kerr
Bradbury	Kinard
Bradford	King
Bray	Langdon
Bridgers	Lehman
Brown of Cherokee	Little
Brown	Lock
of Nacogdoches	Loggins
Bundy	London
Burkett	Mays
Burney	McAlister
Cauthorn	McDaniel
Celaya	McDonald
Chambers	McMurry
Clark	McNamara
Cleveland	Mohrmann
Cockrell	Monkhouse
Colquitt	Montgomery
Colson, Mrs.	Morris
Cornett	Newell
Corry	Nicholson
Crossley	Pace
Daniel	Petsch
Davis of Jasper	Pevehouse
Davis of Upshur	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Dickison	Reed
Dickson	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riviere
Faulkner	Roach
Ferguson	Roberts
Fielden	Robinson
Fuchs	Russell
Galbreath	Schuenemann
Gordon, Mrs.	Segrist
Hale	Shell
Hamilton	Skiles
Hankamer	Smith of Frio
Hardeman	Smith of Hopkins
Hardin	Spencer
Harp	Stinson

Stoll	Voigt
Talbert	Waggoner
Tarwater	Weldon
Taylor	Wells
Tennant	Westbrook
Thornberry	Wilson
Thornton	Wood
Turner	Worley
Vale	Wright
Vint	

Absent

Broadfoot	Leyendecker
Coleman	McFarland
Dean	Oliver
Dwyer	Pope
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Gilmer	Smith
Goodman	of Matagorda
Hartzog	White
Howard	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

HOUSE BILL NO. 585 ON SECOND
READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 585, A bill to be entitled "An Act to reorganize the 104th Judicial District of the State of Texas; and to prescribe the time, and fix the terms of holding the courts in the several counties thereof; and to conform all writs and process from such courts to such changes, and to make all process issued or served before this Act takes effect, including recognizances and bonds, returnable to the terms of court in the several counties of said District as herein fixed, and to validate old process and to validate the summoning of grand and petit jurors and juries; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith and fixing the time when this Act shall become effective, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Bradbury offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 585, by striking out all below the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

"Section 1. The 104th Judicial District of the State of Texas is composed

of the Counties of Jones, Fisher and Taylor, and the District Courts and the terms thereof in said Counties shall be held in said Counties, as follows:

Said Court shall convene in Jones County on the first Monday in January of each year and may continue in session seven (7) weeks, on the 15th Monday after the first Monday in January, and may continue in session six (6) weeks; and on the first Monday in September it may continue in session six (6) weeks.

Said court shall convene in Fisher County on the seventh (7th) Monday after the first Monday in January of each year and may continue in session three (3) weeks, and on the 21st Monday after the first Monday in January and may continue in session three (3) weeks; and on the sixth Monday after the first Monday in September, and may continue in Session three (3) weeks.

Said court shall convene in Taylor County on the 11th Monday after the first Monday in January of each year, and may continue in session four (4) weeks; and on the 24th Monday after the first Monday in January and may continue in session six (6) weeks; and on the 9th Monday after the first Monday in September and may continue in session seven (7) weeks.

Section 2. All process issued out of the District Courts of any of the Counties named in this Act, issued or served before this Act takes effect, including recognizances and bonds, returnable to the District Courts of any of such respective counties, shall be considered as returnable to such respective courts in accordance with the terms and times of holding same as prescribed in and fixed by this Act; and all such process is hereby legalized. And all grand and petit juries drawn and selected under existing laws for any of the counties of said District shall be considered lawfully drawn and selected for the next of the respective District Courts held after this Act takes effect, and all such process is hereby legalized and validated.

Section 3. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act shall be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This Act shall become effective on the 1st day of September,

1939, and shall be in force and effect thereafter.

Section 5. The rapid settlement of the Counties, Jones, Fisher and Taylor, and the unprecedented increase of litigation in said Counties owing to oil development and other causes and the crowded condition of the dockets of the District Courts in said Counties creates a condition that must be remedied in order that business in said Courts might be more promptly dispatched, and the fact that the changes herein made are necessary for the benefit and convenience of said Courts and the people of said Judicial District creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 585 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 585 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Bradbury moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 585 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—128

Allen	Burney
Allison	Cauthorn
Alsup	Celaya
Anderson	Chambers
Bailey	Clark
Baker	Cleveland
of Fort Bend	Cockrell
Baker of Grayson	Coleman
Bell	Colquitt
Blankenship	Colson, Mrs.
Bond	Cornett
Boyd	Corry
Boyer	Crossley
Bradbury	Daniel
Bradford	Davis of Jasper
Bray	Davis of Upshur
Bridgers	Dean
Brown of Cherokee	Derden
Brown	Dickson
of Nacogdoches	Dickson
Bundy	Donaghey
Burkett	Faulkner

Ferguson	Montgomery
Fielden	Morris
Fuchs	Newell
Galbreath	Nicholson
Gilmer	Pace
Goodman	Pevehouse
Gordon, Mrs.	Reader of Erath
Hale	Reaves
Hamilton	Reed
Hankamer	Rhodes
Hardeman	Riviere
Hardin	Roach
Harp	Roberts
Harper	Robinson
Harrell of Lamar	Russell
Harris	Schuenemann
Hartzog	Segrist
Heflin	Shell
Holland	Skiles
Howard	Smith of Frio
Howington	Smith of Hopkins
Hull	Smith
Hunt	of Matagorda
Johnson of Ellis	Spencer
Johnson of Tarrant	Stinson
Kennedy	Stoll
Kern	Tarwater
Kerr	Taylor
Kinard	Tennant
King	Thornberry
Langdon	Thornton
Lehman	Turner
Little	Vale
Lock	Vint
Loggins	Voigt
London	Waggoner
Mays	Weldon
McAlister	Wells
McDaniel	Westbrook
McDonald	Wilson
McMurry	Wood
McNamara	Worley
Mohrmann	Wright
Monkhouse	

Absent

Broadfoot	Petsch
Dwyer	Pope
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Leyendecker	Talbert
McFarland	White
Oliver	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 585 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—128

Allen	Harris
Allison	Hartzog
Alsup	Heflin
Anderson	Holland
Bailey	Howard
Baker	Howington
of Fort Bend	Hull
Baker of Grayson	Hunt
Bell	Johnson of Ellis
Blankenship	Johnson of Tarrant
Bond	Kennedy
Boyd	Kern
Boyer	Kerr
Bradbury	Kinard
Bradford	King
Bray	Langdon
Bridgers	Lehman
Brown of Cherokee	Little
Brown	Lock
of Nacogdoches	Loggins
Bundy	London
Burkett	Mays
Burney	McAlister
Cauthorn	McDaniel
Celaya	McDonald
Chambers	McMurry
Clark	McNamara
Cleveland	Mohrmann
Cockrell	Monkhouse
Coleman	Montgomery
Colquitt	Morris
Colson, Mrs.	Newell
Cornett	Nicholson
Corry	Pace
Crossley	Pevehouse
Daniel	Reader of Erath
Davis of Jasper	Reaves
Davis of Upshur	Reed
Dean	Rhodes
Derden	Riviere
Dickison	Roach
Dickson	Roberts
Donaghey	Robinson
Faulkner	Russell
Ferguson	Schuenemann
Fielden	Segrist
Fuchs	Shell
Galbreath	Skiles
Gilmer	Smith of Frio
Goodman	Smith of Hopkins
Gordon, Mrs.	Smith
Hale	of Matagorda
Hamilton	Spencer
Hankamer	Stinson
Hardeman	Stoll
Hardin	Tarwater
Harp	Taylor
Harper	Tennant
Harrell of Lamar	Thornberry

Thornton	Wells
Turner	Westbrook
Vale	Wilson
Vint	Wood
Voigt	Worley
Waggoner	Wright
Weldon	

Absent

Broadfoot	Petsch
Dwyer	Pope
Felty	Reader of Bexar
Leyendecker	Talbert
McFarland	White
Oliver	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Kersey
Harrell of Bastrop	Piner
Isaacks	Ragsdale
Keith	

ADDITIONAL SIGNER OF HOUSE BILL NO. 190

Mr. Tennant was authorized to sign House Bill No. 190, as co-author of same.

RELATIVE TO THE CONSIDERATION OF LOCAL BILLS

Mr. Heflin moved that for the remainder of the evening the House consider only local bills.

The roll of the House was called on the motion and disclosed the fact that there was not a quorum present.

The point of order was raised, that there was not a quorum present.

The Chair sustained the point of order.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Heflin, the House, at 11:00 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolution, as follows:

Counties: House Bill No. 730.

State Affairs: House Bills Nos. 15, 466, 508, 509 and 510; House Concurrent Resolution No. 73; Senate Bill No. 398.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bills Nos. 588, 601 and 688; Senate Bill No. 109.

Municipal and Private Corporations: Senate Bill No. 414.

Public Health: House Bills Nos. 61, 195, 897 and 903.

Judicial Districts: Senate Bill No. 275.

The Committee on State Affairs filed an adverse report on House Bill No. 86.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 28, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 55, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring the Railroad Commission of Texas to prescribe rules and regulations governing the issuance of tickets and bills of lading by intrastate motor bus and truck carriers for transportation of passengers and property for hire; defining intrastate operators; preventing the use of bills of lading and passenger tickets by intrastate operators which have been issued by those engaged in intrastate and foreign commerce; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

TURNER, Acting Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 28, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 851, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 20 of Chapter 76 of the Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session of 1935, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 15 of the Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session of 1937, so as to provide for the termination of the Act on September 1, 1941; providing all other Sections of the Act shall remain in full force and effect; providing all offenses, liabilities, pen-

alties or forfeitures, civil or criminal incurred because of violation of said Act shall be instituted and proceeded with in all respects as if said Section 20 had read in its original enactment the same as provided for in this Act; providing the procedure prescribed in said Chapter 76 shall be followed in all prosecutions and suits now pending or hereafter instituted, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

TURNER, Acting Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 16, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 787, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining the term 'Obscene publication;' prohibiting the sale of any obscene publication; providing a penalty for violation, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 407, "An Act to provide for the issuance of certificates of title covering motor vehicles and their parts, with certain specified exceptions, so as to disclose ownership and encumbrances; defining the terms 'motor vehicle', 'lien', 'owner', 'mortgagee', 'mortgagor', 'first sale', 'subsequent sale', 'new car', 'used car', 'person', 'hereafter', 'receipt', 'stolen and converted', 'concealed motor vehicle', 'manufacturer', 'importer', 'distributor', 'dealer', 'motor number', 'serial number', 'manufacturer's certificate', 'importer's certificate', 'certificate of title', 'department', and 'designated agents'; placing the administration and enforcement of the law in the Department of Public Safety, and providing its rights and duties in respect thereto; authorizing the said Department to prescribe necessary forms, and to

make rules necessary to effectuate the law; prescribing the method and manner of procuring certificates of title, issuance and reissuance of the same and duplicates thereof, and stating conditions and prerequisites therefor; requiring the owners and purchasers of motor vehicles to procure such certificates; requiring the transfer of certificates in all cases of sale, and making sales without transfer of certificate void; prohibiting the sale, disposition, or purchase of motor vehicles without a certificate of title; providing for the showing of mortgages and other liens on such certificates; providing that such certificates shall constitute notice of such liens and mortgages, and prescribing the priorities of liens and mortgages as against all parties; prescribing the method and manner of endorsing the liens or mortgages on such certificates; providing for the cancellation or termination of such certificates and the release of liens and mortgages noted thereon; requiring the issuance of a certificate and the prerequisites thereof in connection with the rebuilding of motor vehicles and the sale, operation, or disposition thereof; providing for the suspension or revocation of certificates of title; authorizing a hearing on any matter connected with the issuance, suspension, or cancellation of such certificate and appeal to the courts after hearing; prohibiting the alteration, forgery, or counterfeiting of such certificates or any assignment thereof, and making same an offense and providing a penalty; prohibiting making of application for certificates by other persons than the owner; prohibiting alteration, mutilation of any motor number, serial number, or manufacturer's number on any motor vehicle, making same an offense and providing a penalty; making it an offense for any person to have in his possession a motor vehicle, motor, or motor block on which the motor number, serial number or manufacturer's number has been changed, altered, erased, or mutilated, and providing for a penalty; authorizing any peace officer to take possession of any such motor vehicle, motor, or motor block on which such numbers have been changed; requiring the payment of fees; making certain provisions with reference to moneys collected under this Act; prohibiting the use of false or fictitious names or addresses in the application for

certificates; prohibiting the misrepresentation of any fact concerning the ownership or discharge of liens in connection with the issuance of certificates; making it unlawful to violate any of the provisions of this Act; prescribing the duties of the 'designated agents,' requiring their performance thereof, and making their official bondsmen liable for their failure; providing for a fine of from One Dollar (\$1.00) to One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for the first offense and a double penalty for subsequent offenses; providing effective dates for the Act; providing a saving clause as to constitutionality; repealing laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 30, Accepting a donation from the Houston Light Guard Veterans Association, Inc., of certain lots and a building located within the City of Houston, for the maintenance of a permanent armory for Company G, One Hundred and Forty-third Infantry, Texas National Guard, etc.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 65, Providing for correction of House Bill No. 660.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 70, Authorizing certain corrections in House Bill No. 711.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 701, "An Act to amend
Article 1334, Revised Civil Statutes of
Texas, of 1925, so as to authorize fac-
simile signatures and seals on stock
certificates signed by a transfer agent
and registrar, and prescribing the con-
ditions for the use of such facsimiles,
and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and
finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 711, "An Act to provide
a more adequate and equitable salary
of County Superintendents of Public
Instruction; and providing that said
salary may be fixed by the County
Board of Education in all of those
counties of the State of Texas coming
within the brackets and population
figures herein named; and repealing
all laws and parts of laws in con-
flict herewith, and declaring an emer-
gency."

Has carefully compared same and
finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 687, "An Act giving civil
jurisdiction to the Criminal District
Court of Jefferson County of suits
and causes in matters of divorce, de-
pendent and delinquent children, adop-
tion, and habeas corpus in civil pro-
ceedings; providing for the transfer
and trial of such causes and the duties
of the officers of the Court; providing
for the civil procedure therein in ac-
cordance with the General Civil Stat-
utes and Article 2092, Revised Civil
Statutes of Texas of 1925, and provid-
ing for appeals in civil matters to
the Court of Civil Appeals for the
Ninth Supreme Judicial District of

Texas, and declaring an emergency."
Has carefully compared same and
finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 29, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 660, "An Act providing
the salary of County Superintendents
of Public Instruction in certain coun-
ties, according to the last preceding
Federal Census, and according to area
in square miles of such counties; re-
pealing all laws and parts of laws in
conflict, to the extent of the conflict
only, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and
finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

SENT TO THE GOVERNOR

March 29, 1939

House Bill No. 660.

House Bill No. 711.

House Bill No. 687.

House Bill No. 701.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 30.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 65.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 70.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

(Thursday, March 30, 1939)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a.
m., pursuant to adjournment, and was
called to order by Speaker Morse.

The roll of the House was called,
and the following Members were pres-
ent:

Mr. Speaker	Bray
Allen	Bridgers
Allison	Broadfoot
Alsup	Brown of Cherokee
Anderson	Brown
Bailey	of Nacogdoches
Baker	Bundy
of Fort Bend	Burkett
Baker of Grayson	Burney
Bell	Cauthorn
Blankenship	Celaya
Bond	Chambers
Boyd	Clark
Boyer	Cleveland
Bradbury	Cockrell
Bradford	Coleman